



NAZI BLITZ UNITS ON YUGO BORDER

Lewis Spurns Federal Mediation in Wage Dispute

REACH PLAN TO END FORD STRIKE

Dewey Indicates Conference with Leaders Will End In a Settlement

Details of Plan Kept Secret until after It Is Presented to Officials of Company

DETROIT, April 2 (AP)—James F. Dewey, federal mediator, announced today that a plan for settlement of the CIO's United Auto Workers strike at the Ford Motor Company had been reached. Dewey made the announcement after he left a hotel room conference with Gov. Murray D. Van Wagner, August Scholle, state CIO director, and Walter Reuther, member of the International Executive Board of the UAW-CIO.

A plan has been evolved for settlement, Dewey said. He said the plan would be given to representatives of the Ford Company tonight.

Dewey left upon arrival of the federal mediator. The federal mediator, ill with arthritis, limping and carrying a cane, had arrived here late today from Chester, Pa., his home.

Immediately he and the governor went to a conference. Scholle and Reuther joined them. An hour and a half later Dewey walked out of the room and told newspapermen that the plan had been reached.

Dewey did not say who would represent the Ford Company, but he said that a company representative had promised that the firm would have an official at the hotel "with a plan in an hour." In the course of the conference Dewey had talked with Secretary of Labor Frances Perkins on the telephone to Washington.

Guard Big Plant
State police took positions in the area of the company's huge River Rouge plant tonight to guard against further violence and the company appealed to President Roosevelt for help in "ending terrorist mass picketing."

Even as those moves were made, however, the striking CIO's United Auto Workers began withdrawing a highway blockade preventing access to the vast plant and tension was reduced somewhat after many hours of turmoil.

Machinery also was quickly set in motion for mediating the dispute. James F. Dewey, ace trouble shooter for the Federal Conciliation Service, arrived here from his Chester, Pa., home by plane and went into immediate conference with Gov. Murray D. Van Wagner in a downtown hotel.

Bennett Sends Telegram
The company's appeal to the president was contained in a telegram to Mr. Roosevelt from Harry H. Bennett, company personnel director. In it Bennett charged that "Communist leaders" were "actively directing this lawlessness."

"Local and state law enforcement agencies," Bennett said, "appear to be unable to cope with the situation. Non-striking employees who (Continued on Page 2, Col. 3)

GUEST OF U. S.



K. A. Peterson

This Danish sailor, K. A. Peterson, holds on to his cat after being taken into custody by the Coast Guard in Baltimore as the United States seized all Axis and Danish ships in American waters. The sailors face deportation proceedings, which probably means they will be interned, since deportation is almost impossible at this time.

Roosevelt Talks Over Defense at Long Conference

Discusses Plans with Cabinet and High Officers

By D. HAROLD OLIVER

WASHINGTON, April 2 (AP)—New steps in the ever expanding defense and British aid programs apparently were in the making today as President Roosevelt met with an enlarged cabinet and military group after discussing, at a previous conference, ways of meeting British requests for new ship tonnage.

With details kept strictly secret, the chief executive conferred late in the day with what has become known as his "Lend-Lease" cabinet council and with Harry L. Hopkins, Attorney General Jackson and the heads of the three armed services.

The original White House announcement listed only secretaries Hull, Stimson, Knox, and Morgenthau, and Hopkins, unofficial co-ordinator, as participants in what Press Secretary Stephen Early described as a check up on all angles of the defense program.

Officers Enter Conference

The conference assumed greater importance later when Jackson was added to the conferees, along with General George C. Marshall, army chief of state, Admiral Harold R. Stark, chief of naval operations, and Major General Thomas Holcomb, commandant of marines.

Whether strike disorders at defense plants and Axis ship seizures (Continued on Page 2, Col. 6)

American Woman Joins Comitaji To Help Serbs

Ruth Mitchell Given Phial of Poison for Use in Case of Capture

By ROBERT ST. JOHN

BELGRADE, YUGOSLAVIA, April 2 (AP)—Ruth Mitchell, who identified herself as the sister of the late American flyer, General "Billy" Mitchell, was sworn in today as the first foreign woman ever to join the revolutionary death-defying Comitaji.

She was given a phial of poison, because the Comitaji boasts that no member is ever taken alive and was made a member of the general staff as a dispatch rider for Kosta Pecanec, the white-bearded leader of the organization.

In the peasant hovel where he lives on the edge of Belgrade with the skeleton of one Comitaji hero, Pecanec received Miss Mitchell, former wife of an Englishman, and initiated her into the secrets of one of the strangest societies of men and women in the world.

In Belgrade a Year

(Mrs. Martin Pladoes of Milwaukee, also a sister of the late American aviator, said her sister Ruth, had been in Belgrade for about a year, and that her married name was Mrs. Stanley Knowles. She last heard of her by cable about two months ago.)

Pecanec explained to Miss Mitchell how her 400 years the Comitaji harassed the Turks in guerrilla warfare and how the same methods will be used when and if the Germans cross the Yugoslav frontiers. Miss Mitchell watched him cross her name off the list of those who (Continued on Page 2, Col. 5)

Sec. Perkins Takes Hand in Milwaukee Strike Controversy

Orders Certification of Allis-Chalmers Trouble to Mediation Board

WASHINGTON, April 2 (AP)—Secretary of Labor Perkins announced late tonight that she had ordered certification of the ten-weeks old strike at the Allis-Chalmers manufacturing company to the National Defense Mediation Board.

The secretary said the certification of the prolonged strike would be accompanied by an offer to place the resources of the U. S. Conciliation Service at the board's disposal in endeavoring to bring about a settlement.

The CIO's United Auto Workers union local at the Allis-Chalmers plant in Milwaukee asked President Roosevelt earlier in the day to direct the Conciliation Service to reenter the case and begin new negotiations.

Car and Foundry Stopped at End

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 2 (AP)—An AFL spokesman announced settlement today of a one-day work stoppage at the American Car and Foundry Company plant working on British orders for shells.

Thomas W. Scovona, president of the AFL local 22518, which called the walkout this morning, said after a conference with company officials and federal conciliators that the strike was settled.

"Everything is settled. We got what we wanted."

He added, however, the issue of the union shop is still pending.

The men will return to work after a meeting of AFL members is held later today, Scovona said.

The AFL claimed the company, which employs 1,500 on British orders for shells, violated a union contract concerning overtime payments and seniority rights and had disregarded a promise not to reduce piece-work rates.

Declares Miners Will Not Follow New Plan Offered In Other Actions

Conciliators and Others, However, Predict Early End of Stoppages in Soft Coal Fields

NEW YORK, April 2 (AP)—John L. Lewis, president of the United Mine Workers of America (CIO), ruled out the possibility today of federal mediation in the wage dispute and work stoppage in the bituminous coal industry as a spokesman for the mine operators agreed with a federal conciliator's expressed belief that an agreement soon would be reached and the mines reopened.

Speaking at a convention of anthracite miners during a recess in negotiations between union and management in the soft coal industry, Lewis asserted that "we are not going to follow the new formula that the mediation board has discovered—of wiring the strikers to go back, bust their strikes, then have them come to Washington to mediate for the remains of it."

No Recession by Union
Lewis called attention to reports that negotiators for the union, representing 330,000 miners in the eight-state bituminous Appalachian area, had "freed in their demands for vacations and other things," and declared that to the best of his knowledge there had been no such recession.

There had been indications last night that the union would withdraw certain demands, including those for vacations and 200 guaranteed work-days a year, in return for the operators' acceptance of a request for a \$1-a-day increase in the basic wage scale and elimination of the forty-cent-a-day north-south wage differential.

The work stoppage in the Appalachian area and certain outlying districts, involving a total of about 400,000 men, became effective last Monday midnight when a two-year contract expired. Lewis has declared that the miners would not return to work until a new agreement was reached or unless the operators would make retroactive to April 1 the terms of a contract signed later.

Government Freezes Prices
Meanwhile, in Washington, the government ordered the freezing of bituminous coal prices at the March 28 levels, in a move which Leon Henderson, defense price stabilization commissioner, said was taken "to prevent runaway or excessive prices due to the bituminous coal strike."

He said the order would apply to products, distributors, retailers and "all other sellers" of soft coal. At Harlan county, Kentucky, part of the bituminous area, four men were killed and five others wounded at the Crummiess Creek coal mine during an outburst of violence in which more than 100 shells were reported to have been fired.

As the union and bituminous operators resumed negotiations later (Continued on Page 15, Col. 1)

GAS ROUTS MILWAUKEE PICKET



A CIO striker seeks to avoid the fumes of tear gas hurled by police as they quelled picket violence outside the Allis-Chalmers plant in Milwaukee. The 3,000 strikers were routed by a six-ton armored police car, belching gas bombs, after the pickets attacked workers.

Japan Is Reported Ready To Enter War if U. S. Is Involved in any Manner

ROME, April 2 — Japanese Foreign Minister Yosuke Matsuoka has agreed with Premier Mussolini and Adolf Hitler on a joint plan of action against the United States in the event of American involvement — declared or undeclared — in hostilities against the Axis powers, authoritative Italians indicated today.

The Japanese statesman said goodbye to Premier Mussolini before returning tomorrow to Berlin for further conferences with Hitler. He also talked today with Pope Pius XII at a sixty-five minute interview at the Vatican, one of the longest any statesman has ever had with the Pontiff. Those in a position to know said they surveyed the whole world situation.

No Mediation Attempt
Diplomatic observers ruled out any possibility of a Japanese attempt at mediation between Britain and the European Axis powers, taking as their cue Matsuoka's declaration of confidence in victory for Japan and her allies in Europe, Africa and Asia.

On the other hand, foreign observers still were skeptical as to how far Matsuoka had pledged his country's direct aid in the war effort of Italy and Germany. The strongest suggestion of Japanese-Italian-German joint action against the United States should American aid to Britain involve conflict with the Axis came from Virginia Gayda, authoritative Fascist journalist who declared in Il Giornale D'Italia:

Gayda Threatens Action
"Every new real act of belatedness by third powers, even without a declaration, will find the tripartite pact functioning (Continued on Page 15, Col. 2)

British Valiant Has Major Role In Sea Victory

Battleship Credited with Sinking of Two Italian Cruisers

By LARRY ALLEN

ALEXANDRIA, Egypt, April 2 (AP)—The battleship Valiant, heaviest armed of the British Mediterranean fleet, was credited today with the major role in the destruction of Italy's two prize 10,000-ton cruisers, the Flume and the Zara, during last Friday's sea battle south of Crete.

Captain Charles Eric Morgan, descendant of the famous Welsh buccaner Henry Morgan who plundered the West Indies in the seventeenth century, said his gunners on the Valiant scored direct hits with at least seventy-five per cent of the projectiles they flung at the two cruisers.

Another 10,000-ton cruiser, the Pola, and two destroyers were lost by the Italians.

Targets Hit by Youth
The targets of the 30,600-ton Valiant's shells were hit by midshipman Prince Philip, 19-year-old first cousin of King George of Greece, who was in charge of the searchlight control room.

With the help of her classmates, the Warspite, Captain Morgan continued, the Valiant turned the Flume and the Zara into "colossal masses of fire." Many 15-inch shells penetrated the cruisers' six-inch armor and exploded inside.

"It was a most ghastly sight. The Flume seemed to just burst out amidships."

The Warspite opened with the first broadside and seven seconds later the Valiant's guns roared, followed by the 31,100-ton Barham.

"Only four minutes, six seconds elapsed from the Warspite's broadsides to the Barham's."

Ship a Raging Inferno
"Great glooms from the Flume illuminated the darkness as if someone had thrown a log on a fire. The whole ship seemed to disintegrate, many of our shells exploding inside her turning her into a raging inferno."

With the Flume out of action, the Valiant turned on the Zara and (Continued on Page 15, Col. 6)

German Divisions Reach Point in Rumania only Short Way from Belgrade

Yugoslavia Capitol Fears Nazis Will Attack at any Moment; Serbs and Croats Reach New Understanding for Defense of Nation; Foreign Planes over Cities May Be German Ships

BELGRADE, April 3 (Thursday) (AP)—Formidable concentrations of German motorized blitzkrieg units were reported in diplomatic messages early today to be stationed in Rumania just across the frontier from the Yugoslav town of Bela Crkva.

That border point is less than fifty miles from Belgrade and is near the Danube river.

BELGRADE ALARMED

The report caused alarm in the capital because it would be one of the logical points from which the Germans might launch an attack on Belgrade itself.

Other diplomatic dispatches said fast German divisions were massing near Szeged, in southern Hungary across from Yugoslavia.

Although a new Serb-Croat understanding was reported to have been reached, consolidating the Yugoslav internal situation, the chances of war were seen by diplomats as greater than ever.

This was notwithstanding attempts of the Italians to stave it off by what the diplomats called feeble maneuvering.

Seek Mussolini's Aid
The Italians were said to be attempting to get Premier General Dusan Simovic to go to Rome and seek Mussolini's "aid" toward appeasing Adolf Hitler.

This, said circles close to the government, General Simovic refuses to do.

The Italian desire to stave off war here was seen by some diplomats as prompted by Fascist fear that the Yugoslavs would invade northern Albania immediately and with the Greeks sweep Mussolini's forces into the Adriatic.

Yugoslav Ships Sunk
That the Yugoslavs already have taken defense measures in the Adriatic was revealed when secretly-sown Yugoslav mines sank two Yugoslav passenger liners in the Adriatic as the ships sped toward home port in fear of war with the Axis.

The vessels were the 1,293-ton Karadjordje and the 1,726-ton Prestolonaslednik Petar. They went down in the bay of Obrovac, 25 miles east and north of the Italian city of Zara, which is on the Dalmatian shore. All crewmen were saved.

The mining apparently had been carried out within the week. For the second time in twenty-four hours the Berlin press and radio campaigns, reminiscent of those launched by Germany before the attack on Poland which began the war, brought a brief and firm government denial of charges of "atrocities."

The communiqué simply said "all reports of terrorism against the German minority are without foundation."

Another communiqué denied Berlin reports that music of German night

2 German Ships Burned by Crews

LIMA, PERU, April 2 (AP)—The German merchant ships Muenchen and Hermonthis which fled Callao harbor Monday night were discovered burning and sinking more than 200 miles south of Callao, the Peruvian naval ministry reported today in reports that music of German night

Congress Urged To Put End to Defense Strikes

WASHINGTON, April 2 (AP)—Fresh demands for anti-strike laws were made in both branches of Congress today while the House, after hearing Rep. Smith (D-Va.) exclaim that "red insurrection and rebellion prevail," directed two committees to investigate the whole defense program.

The House adopted a resolution by Chairman Vinson (D-Ga.) of the Naval committee directing his group and the military committee, headed by Rep. May (D-Ky.), to make separate inquiries and file reports. Vinson promptly promised that his committee would look into the strikes and Smith declared that "this House and the American people are going to expect x x x the facts."

The resolution was approved on a roll-call vote of 344 to 1. The lone dissenter was Rep. Marcantonio (AL-N.Y.) who said the purpose was to "constitute two great committees (Continued on Page 15, Col. 2)

Stirred by Milwaukee Strike
The new closing of the strike-bound Allis-Chalmers manufacturing plant outside Milwaukee, with its \$45,000,000 of vital defense orders, aroused most of the discussion. Gov. Julius P. Heil's telegram to President Roosevelt saying it was out of (AL-N.Y.) who said the purpose was to "constitute two great committees (Continued on Page 15, Col. 2)

Axis Powers Lodge New Protests in Ship Cases

By J. C. STARK

WASHINGTON, April 2 (AP)—New and stronger protests were lodged by Germany and Italy today over the seizure of Axis ships and crews while the United States prepared replies formally rejecting earlier notes.

The new Axis notes, said to be couched in stronger language than those delivered on Monday, took special exception to the action of authorities in imprisoning members of the crews.

The German embassy made public its first note, demanding release of two Nazi ships and the crews and removal of the American flag from any of the sixty-nine ships — German, Italian or Danish — on which it was hoisted after the vessels were taken into "protective custody" last week-end on grounds of actual or prospective sabotage.

The Italian and German ships (Continued on Page 15, Col. 1)

Four Killed in Harlan, Ky., in Coal Mine Fight

Twenty-Four Hour Armistice Follows Shooting in Commissary

HARLAN, Ky., April 2 (AP)—A burst of gun-fire killed four men and wounded five others today at the Crumrine Creek Coal Company commissary as union pickets roamed the bituminous coal fields of Harlan county.

A few hours later Robert Hodge, secretary-treasurer of the Harlan district, United Mine Workers of America Union (CIO), said Harlan coal operators and union officials had agreed to a twenty-four-hour armistice.

Hodge said he had been notified from New York by W. J. Cunningham and Charles Guthrie, representing the Harlan coal operators, and William Turnbull and Jack O'Leary, union officials, that no mine would attempt to operate and no pickets would be placed.

The four are in New York aiding in negotiating a New Work contract for the area.

Agreement in Effect
The agreement is effective immediately, Hodge said, adding that "the union would give the operators twenty-four hours to show their good faith in the pact."

Hodge charged the men killed and wounded whom he identified as union miners, were "fired on by a machine gun xxx" and that the first shots "were fired by company men."

L. P. Johnson, general manager of the coal company, said the gunplay started when "men with 45s came into the store and started trouble."

At Frankfort, the state capital, Gov. Keen Johnson said "the violence at Harlan was a disgrace" and "that it ought to stop." He declined comment on any steps he might have in mind to control the situation.

Special Policemen Sworn
Late this afternoon Mayor L. O. Smith said a number of citizens would be sworn in as special policemen to "keep the gun-toters off the streets of Harlan," adding that if necessary "every able-bodied citizen will be summoned to keep the streets of this town free of men carrying arms."

"We are not interested in any controversial matter," the mayor said, "but we are interested in looking to our own safety."

School children were warned to stay off the streets.

First Break in Two Years
The first break in almost two years of labor peace in Harlan county came yesterday morning when a mine guard was killed and a mine picket wounded at U. M. W. A. miners started picketing the county's forty-three mines, pending completion in New York of negotiations for a new work contract for the Appalachian area.

The men killed in the shooting were identified as Charles Ruth and Ed Tye, negro, Black Mountain, and Oscar Goodin and Virgil Hampton, both of Lynch.

Late today County Judge C. E. Ball signed warrants charging seven members of the coal company with murder. Bonds were set at \$5,000 each.

Building Tradesmen Not To Aid Roofers
BALTIMORE, April 2 (AP)—Frank Clark Ellis, president of the Baltimore Building and Construction Trades Council, said tonight no general strike of APL building tradesmen would be called in support of a walkout of union roofers at two Maryland defense housing projects.

This was in reply to a statement by Joseph Martin, business manager of the Roofers' union, who set a 2 p. m. deadline for tomorrow for a general strike order unless an agreement is reached in projects at Fort George G. Meade and Edgewood Arsenal.

Pickets are being maintained and union leaders said more than 300 workers had struck on the two projects where approximately 400 buildings are being erected to house non-commissioned officers and defense workmen.

House Is Voted Ten-Day Vacation
WASHINGTON, April 2 (AP)—The Senate agreed today to let the House take a ten-day vacation starting tomorrow and ending April 14.

Majority Leader Barkley (D-Ky.) obtained Senate approval of the plan after explaining that the constitution required that either the Senate or House must get approval of the other for any adjournment while the other remained in session.

As for an Easter vacation for senators, he said the Senate had numerous matters requiring that they stay on the job.

Brazil Protests Attack by Nazis
RIO DE JANEIRO, April 2 (AP)—Brazil protested to Germany today against an aerial attack on the Brazilian freighter Taubate in the Mediterranean March 22 and demanded "legal and moral reparations."

The 3,099-ton freighter was reported bombed by German planes 100 miles northwest of Port Said. One man was killed and three wounded. The ship continued her voyage to Alexandria.

ITALIAN SHIP CAPTAINS HELD BY U. S.



Captains of four Italian vessels seized by the U. S. in the Port of Philadelphia compare notes at the Gloucester, N. J., immigration station. Left to right are: Antonio Plunkett, Alessandro Recagno, Gianano Lena, and Romano Tomich. The more than 800 Axis seamen taken into custody are charged with illegally staying more than 60 days in U. S. ports, and some of them face charges of sabotaging their ships, making them liable to \$10,000 fines and two years' imprisonment.

Four Americans Arrested by Nazis

BERLIN, April 3 (Thursday)—Two long-time American residents of Berlin were arrested last night but later released. They were John Paul Dickson of the Chicago Tribune and Mutual Broadcasting System and Arthur K. Dunning, secretary of the American Chamber of Commerce.

Police told the United States consulate the order had come from "higher up" and no reason was given for the two-hour detention.

An authorized spokesman said later there apparently had been some mistake.

Dickson has been a resident of Germany for eleven years, remaining after student days.

Also arrested and released were a New York negro music student and a Californian whose names were not disclosed.

Dunning is a native of Bath, Me., but has resided in Berlin about fifty years. After the World war he offered his organization's services to the U. S. in food relief work in Germany.

Ceramic Industry Overcomes Problems

BALTIMORE, April 2 (AP)—The ceramic industry since the last war has overcome shortcomings in technique and facilities and now is equipped to meet national defense demands upon its products. J. T. Littleton, newly installed president of the American Ceramic Society, said today.

Littleton, of the Corning Glass Works, Corning, N. Y., is here to attend the society's forty-third annual convention now in session.

The industry found itself unable to fill the need for optical instruments in 1917 and 1918, he said, but such strides have been made in the interval that range finders, bomb sights, camera equipment and field glasses of a superior quality now can be produced in adequate volume.

"I do not know what the war department might want said on the subject," Littleton went on, "but you may be sure it is not overlooking any of the vital materials of war and is keeping in close touch with the phase of the ceramic industry."

2 Italian Bombers Downed by Greeks
ATHENS, April 2 (AP)—The Greek command tonight announced destruction of two Italian bombers by Greek anti-aircraft fire while patrol and artillery activity continued on the Albanian front.

A Greek spokesman said, "excepting an Italian attempt to recapture a resistance point referred to in last night's communiqué, which was broken up with heavy losses, the enemy has not showed up anywhere on the front."

"Among the material captured at this resistance center were 200 rifles, nine machine guns, ten mortars and one wireless transmitter."

At another point on the front, in a range of 6,000-foot mountains, he said, "a small force of Italian skiers was wiped out. The only two who survived were taken prisoners."

Jackson To Dedicate Mount Airy Fire House

MOUNT AIRY, Md., April 2 (AP)—Mayor Howard W. Jackson of Baltimore will speak tomorrow night at dedication of a \$12,000 addition to Mount Airy fire engine house. State and county fire chiefs have been invited.

The building, providing additional facilities for all fire company activities, was built with a \$7,200 WPA grant. The fire company underwrote the remaining sum.

Gets First Dog Tag And Some Publicity

NEW HAVEN, Conn., April 2 (AP)—Elizabeth Mackey, who said she tried vainly for seven years to be first to get a dog license so she'd have her name in the paper, succeeded today.

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Dewey Indicates (Continued from Page 1)

have returned to work have been brutally assaulted and mistreated. "We respectfully urge your assistance in ending terroristic mass picketing, violence and other lawless acts so that our employees can resume work and make possible our full participation in the national defense program."

Huge Contracts Tied Up
The strike, formally begun early today, has paralyzed plant operations. The company has approximately \$155,000,000 in defense contracts.

State troopers went to the Rouge plant area, where a number of men were hurt in fights between strikers and non-strikers this morning, at the orders of Governor von Wagner. The governor announced that the company had agreed not to attempt to reopen the plant during the period of mediation.

A Ford Company ship, reported to be carrying food for employees in the plant, arrived there this afternoon from Toledo, sailing up Lake Erie and thence the Detroit river and the Rouge river. An estimated 5,000 employees have remained in the plant.

Strikers had relinquished possession of a lift bridge over the Rouge River earlier in the day and the vessel's passage was unimpeded.

First reports on the strike fights, sporadic affairs this morning, indicated about thirty men were hurt, three seriously. Bennett, in his telegram to the president, said "more than 200 employees" were injured.

Company Employs 85,000

The company, employing more than 85,000 hourly-rated workers and holding about \$155,000,000 in defense contracts, conceded the effectiveness of the strike, admitting a complete cessation of operations. Union officials had boasted earlier that the blockade was "100 per cent effective." Even clerical employees and switchboard operators, office employees normally not affected by production activities, were barred from the vast property lines by the pickets, who numbered thousands.

The Ford management, in a formal statement signed by Harry H. Bennett, company personnel director, attributed the strike, along with other current industrial disputes elsewhere, to "a gigantic communist conspiracy to paralyze the industrial life of our nation."

Secures "CIO Communists"
Bennett said the union was "communist-controlled," although, he said, the "rank and file of the CIO membership is undoubtedly composed of good American citizens."

The "main object" of the strike, he said, was "to tie up another large American industry and thus cripple the national defense program."

He also declared the company was "unable at present to carry on negotiations with anyone because the roads to our plant have been barricaded by the union."

Neither Henry Ford, founder of the Ford industrial empire, nor his son, Edsel B. Ford, president of the Ford Company, commented. Both remained at their homes during the turbulent day.

The union countered Bennett's charges of subversive leadership with an offer, telegraphed to officials of the Office of Production Management in Washington, to return to work any strikers the OPM would designate as needed in national defense.

A formal UAW-CIO statement said the strike was "forced upon the union at this time by the Ford Motor company, which has for months been engaged in deliberate and continuous efforts to prevent adjustment of Ford workers' grievances by means of conference and conciliation."

Governor Murray D. Van Wagoner and state mediation officials moved from Lansing, Mich., to emergency headquarters in a Detroit hotel. The governor ordered the "full available force" of the state police to stand by should they be needed to restore order in suburban Dearborn, where the Rouge plant is located.

Weather in Nearby States

WEST VIRGINIA—Increasing cloudiness, followed by intermittent light rain this afternoon; rain to night and Friday, slightly warmer in east portion today, cooler Friday afternoon.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA—Increasing cloudiness and slightly warmer today, followed by intermittent light rain in west portion this afternoon or night; Friday rain, colder Friday afternoon or night.

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Mines Sink Two Yugoslavia Ships

BELGRADE, April 2 (AP)—Two passenger liners hit Yugoslav mines and sank almost immediately late today in the Adriatic Bay of Obrovac.

News of the disaster was also the first disclosure that Yugoslavia has mined her own coast, apparently within the last week.

The ships were the Karadjordje and the Prestolonaslednik Petar (Crown Prince).

All members of the crews were saved.

At the time of the sinking, the ships were being rushed into port, it was learned, because of the threat of war.

Obrovac (Obrovazzo) is on the Dalmatian coast twenty-three miles east by north of Zara.

500 Sportsmen To Meet at Hagerstown

HAGERSTOWN, Md., April 2 (AP)—More than 500 sportsmen are expected here Thursday, April 10, at the annual banquet of the Conococheague Sportsmen's Club, Inc., with Governor O'Connor as an invited guest.

Conversation is expected to be one of the major topics at the meeting, with members of the State Fish and Game Commission attending.

The club will elect officers at a meeting this Friday. Present officers are: President, J. Henry Ayers; vice-president, Edward M. Tenney; secretary, Charles E. Plack; and treasurer, Mark Melior.

Conservation of a different sort—in soil—was discussed here today in a proposed WPA project to have twenty workers assist Washington county farmers in establishing soil conservation projects on their farms.

Protest Scuttling Of Four Axis Ships

CARACAS, Venezuela, April 2 (AP)—Foreign Minister Gil Borges sent strong notes of protest to the German and Italian diplomatic representatives here tonight for the burning and scuttling of four Axis ships harbored in Venezuela.

The notes held that the Axis governments were responsible for the conduct of the crews.

Their acts of destruction at Puerto Cabello were characterized as "deliberate" and "scandalous" violation of hospitality accorded them, as well as an offense against the national sovereignty of Venezuela.

The notes were handed to Erwin Poesgen, German representative, and Baron Giovanni Di Giura, Italian.

Draftee Objects To Having Neck Shaved

CAMP UPTON, N. Y., April 2 (AP)—The morning bugle call has been a blatant bane to more than 25,000 men who have passed through the reception center here—but it's just matutinal music to the ears of Nathaniel Arlington Platt.

Platt, a farm lad who hails from Halesboro, N. Y., rises promptly at 4 a. m. daily and spends the three hours until mess time tramping through the pine thickets "just for exercise."

What did bother him, though, was his first professional hair cut at the post shop.

"I don't like anybody fooling around my neck with a razor," he explained. "Not a stranger, anyway."

Macek Predicts War With the Germans

ZAGREB, YUGOSLAVIA, April 2 (AP)—Vladimir Macek, the Croatian peasant party leader, was represented tonight by reliable persons who Yugoslavians' chances of avoiding war with Germany now are extremely slim.

These persons quoted Macek as saying it was "still possible to preserve peace, but the situation is very serious."

Regarding the possibility of solving the internal question which caused Macek to withhold formal acceptance of the post of vice premier in the new Yugoslav government, Macek was said to be more optimistic.

Non-Strikers in Milwaukee Want To Fight for Jobs

Two Hundred Ask To Be Deputized and Armed for Battle

MILWAUKEE, April 2 (AP)—Insisting "the plant is going to stay open," 200 non-striking production workers at Allis-Chalmers Manufacturing Company asked today that federal troops be called in or that they be deputized so they could carry arms.

Their request came as union officials considered making a demand the plant be closed to 1,700 office employees who have been working since the strike began Jan. 22.

The company suspended production last night after a three-hour battle of peace officers and United Automobile Workers (CIO) union strikers and sympathizers. The riot broke up a back-to-work movement ordered last week by Secretary of Navy Knox and OMP Director Knudsen. Forty-nine men were injured.

George Sprague, spokesman for the 200 non-striking, told Sheriff J. J. Shimmers: "We intend to work. Either call in the federal troops or deputize us. It might be bloody but that plant is going to stay open."

Princess Anne Fire Toll Reaches Six

PRINCESS ANNE, Md., April 2 (AP)—The death toll of the Princess Anne College fire increased to six today.

The latest negro victim of Monday's blaze that gutted the college's old administration building was Alice Wright, 40, of Chance, who died in Salisbury hospital from injuries received when she fell from the roof of the three-story structure.

Among more than a score of negro women and children trapped in the building, eleven still are in Salisbury hospital for treatment of burns and other injuries.

An investigation into the cause of the fire is under way by the University of Maryland, personally conducted by the university's president, Dr. H. C. Byrd and Dean H. F. Cotterman.

One Man Stoppage Cuts Traffic Lights

DES MOINES, Ia., April 2 (AP)—Several of Des Moines traffic lights were not in working order today because of a one man work stoppage.

George Lister, in charge of keeping the city's traffic signal lights in working order, said he sought a \$25 increase over his present \$200 a month wage. He is a member of an AFL union.

The only comment of E. H. Guntton, acting city traffic engineer under whom Lister works, was "I don't know how the lights will be kept in working order."

American Woman

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have applied for membership, explaining:

"We just cross the name off, my girl, because we consider you dead when you become one of us. We value our lives as nothing. We may all be dead in a few weeks. I expect to die myself this time. How about you?"

"I am willing, too," Miss Mitchell replied instantly.

Then Pecanee, who as a Serb patriot in the World war dropped by parachute behind the Austrian lines to direct the men under him, told her how she and her comrades were expected to cooperate.

38,000 Regulars

There are 38,000 men and women who wear the Comitaji uniform but several hundred thousands more," Pecanee said, "who are secret members."

Two of these are members of the cabinet of the new premier, Gen. Dusan Simovic, he said.

When war comes the reckless men and women members of the Comitaji go ahead of the army doing espionage work. They are experts in getting information out of prisoners. They stay behind, fighting by day and working at night.

The poison given to each member is sewn in the upturned collar in such a way that a man or woman, even if manacled, can commit suicide by sucking the poison out of the cloth.

Ruth Mitchell was piqued as she sat in her own home later telling the story to this correspondent.

Wears Men's Clothes

She was piqued because she wore a man's coat and riding breeches instead of the regulation uniform which was not yet available. She said she was eager to don the black sox embroidered with red roses which all members wear over knickerbockers because there is a place in the top of one sock for a long slender dagger.

The chief told me I would have to practice with a knife, plunging and twisting it into a sack of flour. He said that was good training," she said.

Miss Mitchell was the only English-American citizen in northern Albania when the Italian-Greek war started. She said she joined because "the Comitaji form the heart of Serbia and Serbia is the heart of Yugoslavia which has dared to talk back to Hitler."

Altoona Woman Is Held for Murder Of Her Husband

Mrs. Frederick E. Muller Admits Shooting in Their Bedroom

ALTOONA, Pa., April 2 (AP)—A 45-year-old former New York model was charged with the murder of her husband tonight by prosecutor Chester B. Wray.

The defendant, Mrs. Mary Elizabeth Muller, widow of Frederick E. Muller, 45, district representative of the Chrysler Automobile company, waived a hearing before Alderman H. Frank Berkstresser, and was held for the grand jury.

Admits Shooting
Police Lieutenant Paul Robinson said Mrs. Muller had admitted shooting Muller in their home early today after a prolonged quarrel which came up after his return from an engagement in Pittsburgh.

Robinson said an adopted son of the couple, Frederick E. Muller, Jr., 17, had called police about dawn to report he had heard a shot in his parents' bedroom and that he was unable to gain entrance.

The officers said they found Mrs. Muller in the bedroom, her husband's partially clad body lying face down on a bed, a bullet through the heart. On a bureau lay a pistol.

Robinson estimated Muller had been dead about an hour before the son's call was made.

Home Badly Wrecked
Downstairs in the Muller's suburban home, rugs, upholstered furniture and other furnishings had been ripped and cut.

"It looked like the work had been going on all night," commented Robinson about the debris.

Mrs. Muller was born in Bishopville, Md., her husband, a native of Newark, N. J., lived in Philadelphia before coming here several years ago. He had charge of seven-teen counties for his firm.

Roosevelt Talks

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were subjects of discussion was not announced.

None of the conferees would divulge the topics of conversation to reporters afterward. Knox and Stark stayed with the president considerably than the others. They discussed what was termed a "purely naval matter."

Before the conferees met, critics in Congress challenged administration leaders to state their views on the issue of convoys.

Say Convoys Mean War
If United States naval vessels are assigned to convoy supply vessels across the Atlantic then war will follow "as sure as death," said Senator Tobey (R-NH). His views were supported by Senator Wheeler (D-Mont.) who said that if President Roosevelt took such action "the people will lose faith in their government."

Tobey, who is seeking to get the Senate to pass a resolution forbidding convoys, asserted that some time ago the president had indicated he was opposed to convoys but that now "the weather vane has flopped 180 degrees and the war clouds are on the way."

He asked Senator Barkley, the majority leader, to discuss the subject but Barkley said he was not prepared to enter debate at this time.

Wheeler said it was unthinkable to him that the president would dispatch convoys in view of the stand he had taken against United States entry into war.

"If the president wants war let him come to Congress and ask for it," the senator exclaimed.

To this, Barkley replied that so far as he knew the president had not entertained any thought of convoys.

This morning the president discussed with Chairman Emory S. Land of the Maritime Commission the allocation of funds for cargo ships for Britain and her allies and for repair of allied warships in American harbors. Land said no decisions were reached, but added the commission was studying all phases of the situation.

The Lease-Lend appropriation includes \$629,000,000 for vessels of all kinds and \$200,000,000 for reconditioning "any defense articles for the government of any country whose defense the president deems vital to the defense of the United States."

No allocations from these two categories have yet been made. In announcing yesterday that expenditure of \$1,080,000,000 out of the \$7,000,000,000 fund had been authorized, the president said this was for guns and ammunition, planes, tanks, and trucks, food, and miscellaneous supplies.

British Valiant

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poured thirty-five tons of projectiles into her.

"There was no reply from either the Flume or the Zara. We fired some star shells to help light up the targets and the Italians apparently thought they were aircraft flares for they let go some guns toward the falling star shells."

Midshipman John Portman said, "I don't think any of our shells missed the Zara. After the first salvo she was heavily on fire and aft."

The Pola, disabled by aerial torpedoes which struck the gun controls and engine room, was unable to fire.

NAMED SCHULTZ SLAYER



Charles Workman

Charles (Charlie the Bug) Workman, named by a New Jersey Grand Jury as the killer of Dutch Schultz, is shown at Brooklyn, N. Y., police headquarters where, questioned in the lineup, he declined to say anything about the killing. He was held without bail as a fugitive from justice. New Jersey wants to extradite him.

Mexicans Subdue German Seamen

TAMPICO, Mexico, April 2 (AP)—German seamen on the 9,660-ton liner Quincio resisted but were overpowered by a Mexican boarding party tonight as the marines frustrated an alleged plot to scuttle and burn the Axis ships harbored here.

Vice-Admiral Luis Hurtado De Mendoza said the captains and crews of nine seized vessels in Tampico harbor had plotted to destroy their ships some time tonight.

He said marines had discovered in the exhaust line of the Italian tanker Fedra a time bomb so connected that it would explode the moment the engine was turned over.

German Divisions

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undisclosed nationality scouted over the important south-central city.

Foreign Planes Appear
The planes remained high aloft and merely reconnoitered over the city, which lies in southern Yugoslavia, midway between Bulgaria and Albania in the militarily important Vardar River valley. But the townspeople were kept under cover for eight minutes.

"For all we know," remarked an official, "war may come to us any day this way."

An Italian legion spokesman disclosed that "certain conversations" with Yugoslav representatives "intended to see if any possibilities existed for establishing contact between Belgrade and Rome"—had "attained no result and no negotiations are now in progress."

The Yugoslav government, sending more troops to the northern and eastern frontiers in an action paralleling reports that the Nazis were moving many soldiers westward across Bulgaria, maintained its air of restraint under violent German press attacks.

The sixty diplomatic representatives of Germany, still remaining here—German minister Viktor von Heeren is in Berlin—clearly exhibited nervousness and set up a control system to keep the legion informed by the moment of the whereabouts of its employees.

Both of the remaining German news agency correspondents have been made press attaches and thus given diplomatic privileges.</

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Steps Toward Attainment Of Industrial Peace

GEN. HUGH S. JOHNSON, in noting the agitation in Congress for a law permitting the federal government to take over industrial plants in which labor troubles block defense production, says that this would be about the "wackiest way" imaginable to tackle this problem now and that it should not be done except as a last resort. This newspaper agrees with him and for the reasons he sets forth. It would be a painful step into bureaucracy, a grave trend toward totalitarianism.

But, with the continued outbreak of strikes all over the country in which defense production is being seriously retarded, it is becoming painfully obvious that something must speedily be done to stop them. High hopes have been entertained over cessation of three of the first four strikes turned over to the National Defense Mediation Board with a similar conclusion of the fourth in prospect. President Roosevelt feels that this new agency should have a fair trial before further steps are taken. Many others share that view.

But strikes are breaking out faster than ever and, while it is hoped they can be speedily and satisfactorily terminated through the work of this board, it is evident that serious thought be given to other possible steps in the event it proves ineffective. This is because the defense job is so urgent.

The Office of Production Management reports a total of seventy-three such strikes since September 8, 1937, forty-one of which cost the defense program 1,299,577 man hours of labor while the others, for which no similar figures were available, involved 50,000 men. And now we have strikes in the bituminous coal fields, at the big Ford plants and in other important industries, some of them being coupled with deplorable violence. This sort of thing can't go on.

What, therefore, should be done, if the present attempt at mediation is inadequate? Whatever is done should be sensible and not drastic. Revision of the labor laws is advised by the *New York Herald Tribune* with as much good will toward legitimate unionism and collective bargaining as was displayed under similar provocation by the British when they faced a general strike. It does not advocate the particular British formula because the British problem and our own differ; but it does believe that we could do much worse than to adopt the spirit and object of the British remedy as a foundation for regulation suitable to our peculiar needs.

"For instance," it says, we might well start by defining the illegitimate strike. To some extent this has been done already. A strike against the government is unlawful and proclaimed as such by the president himself. So are sit-down strikes, and so, until the recent decision of the supreme court in the *Hutchinson* case, were strikes in restraint of interstate commerce involving trade-union activities not 'legitimate in themselves' and directed against an employer by other than his own employees. We have urged, and do so again, that Congress undo by legislation the damage done by the *Hutchinson* decision and restore and strengthen by precise definition the court's previous discrimination. If it will do this, in the opinion of Mr. Thurman Arnold, it need do little further regulating.

"Important as this step is, Congress should proceed at the same time to amend the Wagner act to prevent the labor union or leader, as well as the employer, from intimidating the worker. Today there is not an unfair labor practice short of theft or murder of which the labor boss can be found guilty, and the result is a tyranny that constantly outrages the American sense of fair play and mocks the very freedom which the Wagner act was designed to establish. In this connection not only should pickets be held to reasonable number and peaceful behavior, but the practice of importing pickets to reinforce the strikes should be strictly prohibited. The law forbids the importation of strike breakers across state lines. Why should it not crack down in similar fashion on 'scab' pickets and forestall such brutal tactics as those employed by Mr. John L. Lewis and his lieutenants in the 'Little Steel' strike?"

"There should be broader application of the 'cooling-off' period which has worked so well in preventing railway strikes. In the present emergency all defense workers and employers should be prohibited from hostile action until the government's mediation machinery has had ample opportunity to explore the dispute and conciliate the disputants. For the long pull this ban should stand against management and labor in any public utility.

And having tightened existing statutes in these obviously essential directions Congress would do well to turn its attention to the internal affairs of unions with the object of protecting the rank-and-file membership. We suggest the registration of all unions, with insistence on their democratic organization supported by frequent and fair elections and periodic public accounting, and beyond that such regulation of initiation fees and dues that there may be no profiteering at the expense of the job hunter. The latter check, it seems to us, is vital to the future of the labor movement and particularly to that portion of it represented by the craft unions. And it will not come from within, as the correspondence between Senator Norris and Mr. William Green makes abundantly plain."

The *Herald Tribune* feels that there is nothing in these four major measures of a labor code which goes further than holding organized labor to the same pattern of conduct demanded of the rest of the country in the present emergency. That, as it declares, is the crying need which confronts the country at this time.

How Hitler Mulcts The French People

OCCUPIED FRANCE is learning that armies of occupation are mighty expensive adjuncts. A Vichy dispatch records that last week the Bank of France's non-interest loan to the government for payment of German occupation costs was increased to double the original amount. This increase was the third since the first loan of 50,000,000,000 francs in August, 1940.

The government now is paying Germany 400,000,000 francs daily for the upkeep of German troops in France. Neutral experts estimate this is more than twice the actual German military expenses in the occupied zone. The loan now amounts to 100,000,000,000 francs and compares with the total of about 130,000,000,000 francs note circulation of the country before the war.

A second dispatch indicates the thrift of the German administration. It points out that six weeks ago the German military administration had to its credit on the books of the Bank of France an unexpended balance of 53,000,000,000 francs, the obvious implication being that Germany is not spending for occupation all that it is collecting for that purpose. It is further alleged that Germany is seeking to acquire with these funds control of French industries, thus making France pay for what France is made to lose.

But this is nothing new in German practice. The statement has been made that Germany is now wringing from the countries it has taken over in this war somewhat more than \$5,000,000,000 annually to maintain the Hitler war machine.

Parking Meters Help But a Problem Grows

A SURVEY recently completed shows a seventy-two per cent increase in the use of parking meters in cities of the country since January 1, 1940. A total of 251 municipalities now use the meters to regulate parking in congested areas as compared with 146 in use of January last year.

Although the meters have been in use for only five years—Oklahoma City having made the original installation in 1935—they are now used by half the seventy-eight cities between 100,000 and 500,000 population and by a third of those in the population bracket of 50,000 to 100,000.

Considerable revenue was yielded by the meters, the survey giving an estimate of \$5,500,000 for 150 of the cities. A major development was the increased use of the penny meter, now in operation in eighty-nine cities. In seventy-five cities the meters take nickels and pennies and most of the remainder take nickels, although a few take dimes.

The parking meters have proved their worth in relieving the parking problem of congested areas, this having been so here in Cumberland; but they have not solved it, as with the growth of population and the increase in cars, many municipalities are finding that some other relief must be obtained.

One Laugh Comes From Grisly War

IT HAS, of course, been difficult to glean any bit of humor from the grisly war that is raging abroad, but an exceptional instance has at last been presented.

The news dispatches and the radio reported desperate efforts by Il Duce Mussolini to bring about mediation of the differences between Yugoslavia and Germany so that hostilities might be averted. But, it was pointed out that Il Duce could not offer his services as a mediator unless he was first asked to do so because otherwise it would disparage his prestige.

That any suggestion should be made that Mussolini has any prestige which could be impaired is where the laugh comes in.

And the man at the next desk remarks that we have now reached that time of year when a fellow not only has broken 'em all but can't even remember what his New Year resolutions were!

The British people are fond of newspaper stories—especially that daily adventure yarn, "The Defeats of Il Duce."

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By MARSHALL MASLIN

I can always forget what I don't like to remember.

I think the faith of the farmer in the spring of the year comes very close to religion.

I get bored easily, but my bump of curiosity is SO BIG!

I never can work a puzzle, and sometimes I suspect that I am not quite bright.

I like praise but it embarrasses me and makes me feel like a hypocrite.

I have little sense of humor except in retrospect. ... At the time I curl up and blow away.

As for crushing repartee, I have no talent for that either. ... That bright remark I should have made doesn't arrive until the other fellow is just around the corner.

I never did have any enthusiasm for going down, down, down into a coal mine.

If you like me, then I like you. No matter what others may say about you, I'll always insist that you're a very fine fellow.

For me one of the saddest sights is a nice old man whose sons have gone wrong, a nice old man who still clings to his pathetic faith in their decency.

Apples are crisp and sweet, orange juice is fine, but Bing cherries are the best of all.

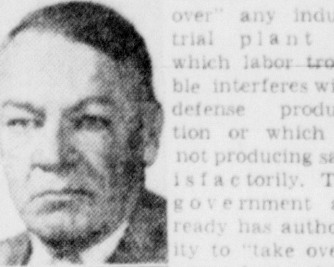
I feel humiliated when a baby doesn't like me.

I received a pamphlet the other day that "proved" salt is a poison and the curse of the human diet. ... And I was almost convinced. ... But I met a man the very next day who hadn't used salt for ten years and he didn't look as well as he did in 1930. ... So I'm taking that proof with a grain of salt and waiting for more proof.

Plant Seizure a Blow to Freedom, Gen. Johnson Says

By GEN. HUGH S. JOHNSON

WASHINGTON, April 2.—There is considerable agitation in Congress for a law permitting the government to "take over" any industrial plant in which labor troubles interfere with defense production or which is not producing satisfactorily. The government already has authority to "take over" any plant which refuses federal defense orders.



Hugh S. Johnson

Proponents of "taking over" can't have given the subject much thought. Right off the bat if "taking over" means, as it apparently is intended to mean, seizing private property for public use, there is nothing new about that. It is as old as the law of "eminent domain"—which is very old. The only catch in it is that our constitution in the Bill of Rights says "nor shall private property be taken for public use without just compensation." Wholesale "taking over" would simply mean that the federal government would have to move in to take and pay for great private industries at prices to be determined by the courts.

The Slavery Objection

How would we be better off after that performance than we are now? One answer is "Well, labor in those plants would then be working for the government. It couldn't strike." The reasoning is that it would be going too far to use the power of government to draft a laborer and make him work against his will for any private employer. That comes close to slavery—"compulsory labor except for government as punishment for crime." But the thought here is that, if the government itself becomes owner and employer, it could enforce labor without raising that objection.

While most of this country is resentful and impatient about ruthless and unnecessary strikes, and while there has been some talk of "conscription" labor, there certainly is no great sentiment for compulsory labor and, thus far, no necessity for it. There are too many other things less Nazified that should be tried first. If we are going to have the government take over industry and force labor, we'd better call in Stalin or Hitler or some other totalitarian expert. We haven't any experience along these lines.

Would Goosestep Labor

Another group of "overtakers" reasons from just the reverse angle. It wants to take over to oust private management with some idea that labor can get whatever it wants from political management. Still another group simply does not believe in our system of private enterprise and wants government to own and operate industry and goosestep labor. It makes one wonder what principles and freedoms we are getting ready to fight Hitler to maintain but that's how it is.

It is high time for government to get tough with jug-headed obstructors in both management and labor but "taking over" plants is the wackiest way that could be imagined to do it.

Government is not manned or equipped to manage factories. The organization of our industry as a result of competition among employers for advancement and among the companies themselves for profits is the best in the world. It could not be replaced by any political system without paralyzing it. It does not follow, however, that because government is not manned or equipped or empowered to manage factories it is not already equipped to manage the management of factories.

No Argument Seen

Under simple war powers of priorities, price-fixing, commandeering and control of communication and supplies, any industry is at the mercy of government if it does not perform satisfactorily for national defense. If with those powers, government is too inept to manage management that certainly makes no argument that it should or could take over and manage industry.

If any of these proved powers are not clearly enough stated, the laws may need to be clarified but there is no necessity to Stalinize our free capitalist system. Further legislation to prevent ruthless and unnecessary strikes may also be needed but there is no necessity to Hitlerize our free labor system.

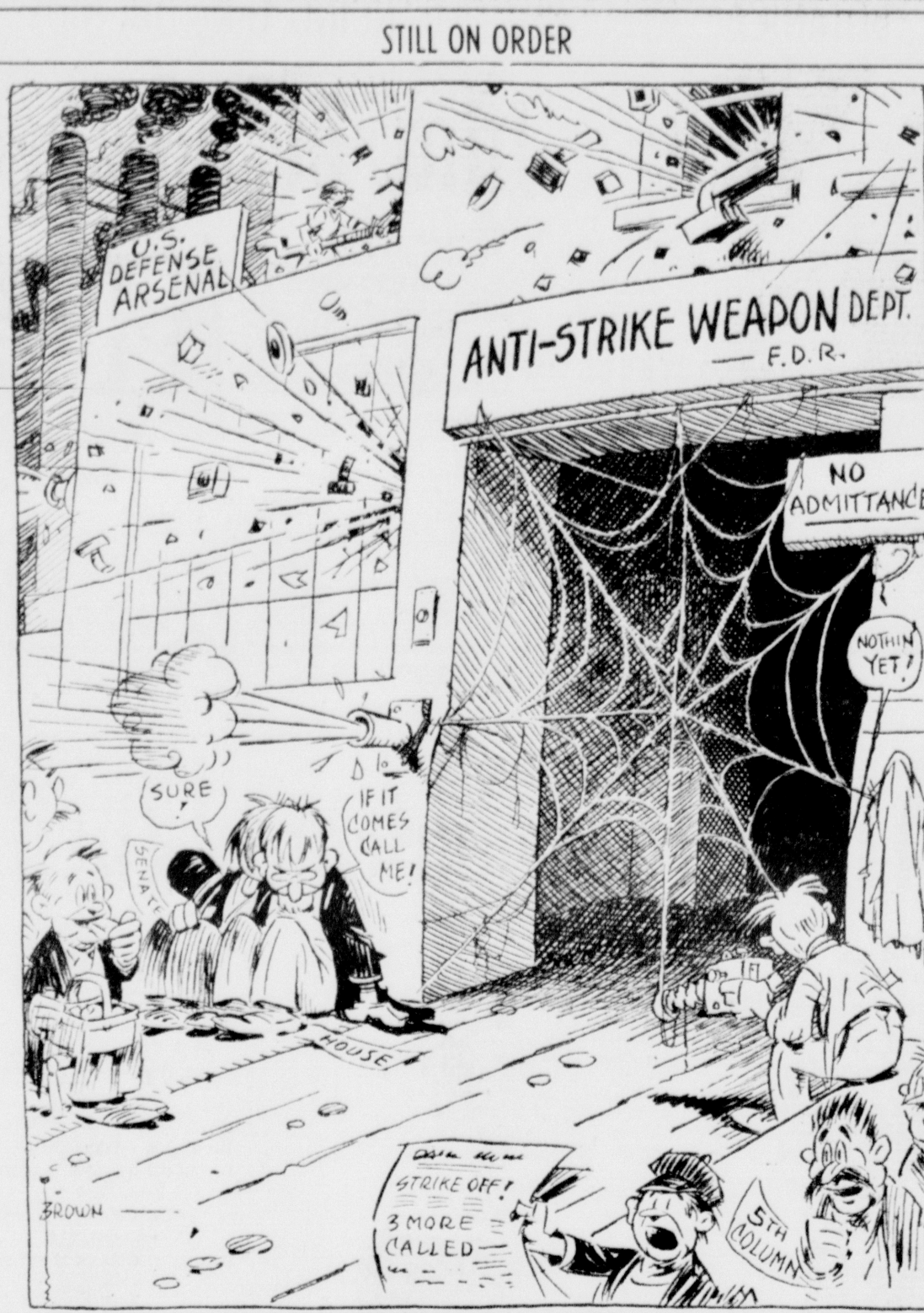
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Anti-Trust Law Coercion

From the Wheeling, W. Va., Intelligencer

The activities of Mr. Thurman Arnold in waging prosecutions under the Sherman anti-trust law have been rather widely publicized of late. The assistant attorney general has been pictured as something of a crusader against vicious practice in the business world.

A study of Mr. Arnold's methods and objectives by Burnham Carter, published in the current issue of *The American Mercury*, throws a slightly different light on the crusade. It appears from Mr. Carter's analysis that the department is more interested in "reorganizing industry in accordance with its own economic theories than in punishing wrong-doing.



Talk Is Now Heard of Making Ireland An American State, Stewart Reports

By CHARLES P. STEWART
Central Press Columnist

Canada, as I've had previous occasion to remark, doesn't want to be United States-ized, no matter what happens to the British empire. If the worst happens to the empire, it wants to be an independent Canada. It wants to be allied with us, thinks it would be pretty safe with the Atlantic to its eastward and the Pacific westward, and of course it knows that Uncle Sam would go the limit in its defense even if it were to be attacked from either of these directions.

Australia and New Zealand, as also previously observed, would be more anxiously situated, on account of Japan. They might feel an inclination to become something like dominions of ours. They'd want to be strictly self-governing, though, not mere states.

Leadership Must Meet Emergency

From the Morgantown, W. Va., Post

What good was it for the United States to vote to lease and lend war materials to Great Britain if, at the same time, it permitted conditions to arise which prevented the production of those very materials?

What good was it for the United States to vote tens of billions of dollars in appropriations for its own national defense if it stops with the appropriations and remains indifferent to conditions which prevent the translation of those appropriations into guns, planes, tanks, power, and ships?

"We can't buy time," spokesmen for the administration have said again and again in pressing the argument of "terrible urgency"—and that statement is all too profoundly true.

But because we can't buy time or borrow it is no reason why we should complacently waste and destroy the time we have today and tomorrow and next week.

We are trying in a year or two to arm ourselves as completely as Hitler armed Germany in seven years. As if that were not enough, we are also undertaking to serve as "the arsenal for democracy."

There is indeed a "terrible urgency" upon us, but it is not an urgency that we can meet merely by voting appropriations and authorizing the leasing and lending of war stuffs we do not possess.

The urgency is one of production, and still more production—of production at capacity and even beyond capacity—of production every minute of the day every day of the week. The urgency is one to capitalize to the utmost extent our amazing skill of production.

And it is an urgency that permits of no delay, however small or however well justified it might be under normal circumstances.

The national leadership for meeting the heavy demands of this "terrible urgency" must come from President Roosevelt.

Morning Motto

An ounce of enterprise is worth a pound of privilege.—FREDERIC R. MARVIN

There is no protection against invasion by the Germans, whenever they seem would be neutral soil and nearby seas desirable to them, from which to operate against John Bull's own island.

And Elre, as the springboard, is far more desirable to Herr Hitler at present. He must see it as at least as valuable to him as Holland, Belgium, France's channel coast, Denmark or Norway—maybe more so. In fact, he actually has bombed Irish ports a bit already.

Possibly these bombings were accidental, but possibly, too, they were intended as warnings to President de Valera as to what to expect unless he does as he's told to do from Berlin.

Well, Ireland's on a hot spot. Are Pro-British

It doesn't want to be Britishly re-assimilated. John Cudahy, our ex-minister to Dublin, says the Irish are ninety-five per cent pro-British in the current conflict. Perhaps that's so. Nevertheless the sentiment of "Oh, Erin, must we leave thee?—driven by a tyrant's hand," isn't a thing to wear off in a hurry.

But gosh! Nazi tyranny would be worse yet.

President de Valera's between horns of a fearful dilemma.

In this impasse there begin to be whispers of a trend in Ireland toward overtures to us to take the Emerald islanders in with us, as a state or as a couple of states. Possibly as two, because they're divided between the north and south. The Reverend Father Tom Burke urged American annexation of the island seventy years ago. I begin to hear him quoted again. And the other day I read a letter by a distinguished Bostonian Irish-American, Joseph A. Conry, urging the same thing. "Will Ireland," he asked, "remain a divided wail, subject to alien military yoke, or go all-American?"

Americanize Ireland?

I catch an increasing volume of this sort of Irish-American talk, hyphenate talk, like German-American and Italian-American, that contemplates the Germanization of the United States. Is this the Americanization of Ireland?

"Ireland's too far away," argue opponents of the scheme.

"It's no farther away from the United States," answer its proponents, "than Canada is from England."

Speculation concerning the chance of Yankee acquisition of Canada, Australia and New Zealand is all based on the theory of an Axis victory over Britain.

Boosters for an Irish-American merger would like to see that effected no matter how the pending war ends. They think we'd harmonize with the Irish as a state or two, and that the Irish would be glad to be invited. As Father Tom Burke said, away back in the last century, "America accepts her states on terms of glorious equality."

El Camino Real (The King's Highway), blazed by the conquistadores in the sixteenth century, is still used in New Mexico.

Missouri farmers have ordered 1,550,000 forest seedlings for planting this year.

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Press Agencies Seen As Helpful In Modern War

By EDWIN C. HILL

This story of an advertising man being made the public relations officer at West Point is one of those little spring Johnny-jump-ups in the news which might start people thinking a bit, if they would take time out for this unique exercise. The appointee, Lieutenant Colonel Meade Wildrick, has been in the last few years vice-president of the New York city advertising firm of Birmingham, Castleman and Pierce, Inc., having previously built a distinguished career in the army. He is an officer of high attainment and, by all accounts, of similar standing in the advertising world.

There are no doubt some brass hats in the army who would run a temperature over this business of having the army communicate with the public through a public relations officer, which it does now at Washington as well as West Point. Old Commodore Vanderbilt said "the public be damned," but in the last few decades we have revised our ideas about that, both in war and peace.

Phrase Makes Grade

It is only since the last big war that we thought of "public relations counsel" as a euphemism for "press agent." It has had some unpleasant connotations to newspapermen, on guard against poachers on newspaper space, but the phrase now seems to have made the grade, possibly because the public has become more clearly established as an entity with whom it is advisable to have pleasant working relations if you want to get anywhere.

And this goes particularly in the days of war and rumors of war, because, in this age, even just a little sand-lot war involves all the public as never before in all history. Officers of public relations are going to be mighty important army functionaries from now on. If the army of the North had had a good public relations office in the Civil war, the struggle might have been greatly shortened and many thousands of lives might have been saved.

A Tactless General

In 1861, Lincoln picked Gen. George Brinton McClellan to succeed the aged Gen. Winfield Scott, retiring as head of the army. McClellan was gifted, erratic, ambitious, but a bit showy and tactless, with a penchant for getting in bad with all hands. Lincoln correctly measured his ability and loyalty and was infinitely patient with his fumble-footed approach to anything that had to do with the public.

Fire-eating Abolitionists were yelling for a big slambang war with no holds barred. Amateur soldiers with political backing were pressing hard for commissions and some of them were getting them. Ravenous job-seekers were swarming into all the services of supply and equipment, and Washington was crawling with schemers, defeatists, and rampant and virulent villifiers of Lincoln, his army, McClellan and the conduct of the war in general.

Lincoln Deprecated

It was a day of most intemperate language in public controversy, with invective running hog-wild and even such a clear-headed man as Wendell Phillips, caught in this maelstrom of vituperation, found that Lincoln was failing in the conduct of the war, and appraised him as a small man, incapable of meeting this test of history.

Lincoln, as now revealed by the record of those years, had a clear, definitely conceived plan which took into account many delicately poised issues which were not explained then but which could have been put before the public by a competent public relations officer. It is unquestionably true that the general public ignorance and misapprehension fed the fires of confusion, muddling and blundering which thwarted the Northern effort in the opening years of the war.

Needed Press Agent

With an intelligent liaison with the public, Gen. McClellan might have done much better. But he had a dog-fight behind his own lines to contend with, as well as a war, and Lincoln had to replace him by Gen. Halleck. He continued on duty but later was superseded by Burnside, withdrawn angrily from the army and denounced the conduct of the war as a total failure. He ran against Lincoln for the presidency in 1864, took a beating and continued for years his public insistence that he had been misunderstood. He probably had been. A good press agent would have helped.

Lincoln certainly could have used a public relations officer in that notorious Trent affair when a federal gunboat had snatched a couple of Confederate commissioners from a British packet.

Everything was comparatively simple in those days. Total defense now is primarily a civilian effort and, furthermore, civilians are combatants, under the air bombs, as they never were before. Intelligently administered army public relations could not aid us all in being understanding and cooperative, instead of ignorant and truculent trouble-makers as in the Civil war.

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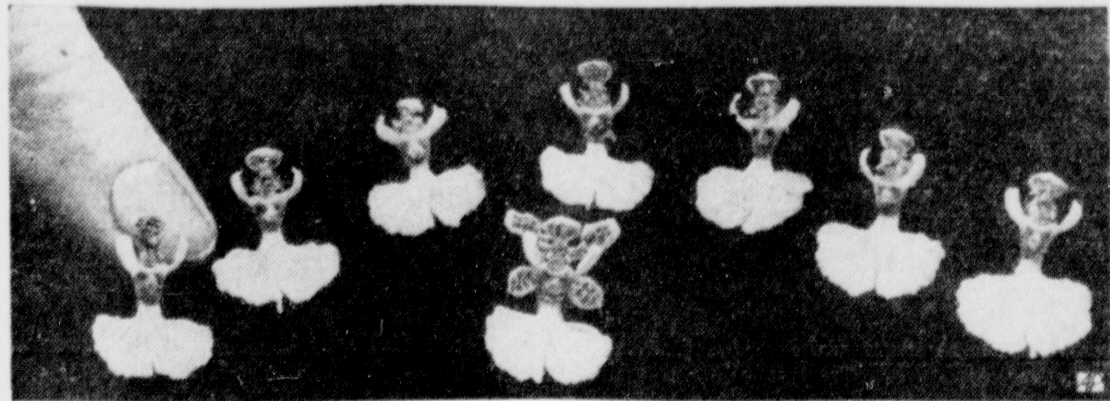
Super-Highway Proposed for West Virginia

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., April 2 (P)—R. M. Davis, Morgantown al operator who claims credit for stigmating the Harrisburg-Pittsburgh super-highway in Pennsylvania, would like to do as much for West Virginia.

The Mountain State highway he opposes, he told Governor Neely, could link the major population centers from Wheeling and Morgantown south to Huntington and Berkeley.

"And," he added, submitting data to support his contention, "it wouldn't cost the taxpayers a cent." Briefly, Davis's plan suggests a ur-lane thoroughfare of the now familiar "super-highway" pattern, extending from Wheeling and from Morgantown, with a juncture at Parkersburg. The Morgantown thoroughfare would be routed by way of Fairmont and Clarksburg. From Parkersburg, the route could extend to Spencer and Char-

BOTANICAL ILLUSION . . . DANCING GIRL ORCHIDS



A rare and dainty little orchid, tiny as a quarter and shaped astonishingly like a dancing girl, is on exhibit at the Missouri Botanical Gardens, St. Louis. The "costume" is as modern as Hollywood—frilled yellow skirt and chocolate brown jacket. Between seventy and 100 blooms spring from each stem.

leton, where it would branch, with one fork extending to Huntington, and the other running from Charleston to Gauley Bridge, Beckley and Bluefield.

The estimated value of wool produced in Montana in 1940 was \$8,684,000.

The brightest stars are raised as "minus first magnitude."

Forty-four million pounds of Swiss cheese is made annually in United States plants. Census figures show—less than a pound and a half per family per year.

Cooks Push Smiths Out of W. Va. County

PINEVILLE, W. Va., April 2 (P)—The Cooks have practically pushed the Smiths clear out of Wyoming county.

At least, that's the way it looks on the birth records of 17,400 persons born in the county during the last thirty years. Keeper of the records is County Clerk F. P. Cook but he avers he had nothing to do with the predominance of the surname.

Of the 17,400, more than half of the present population of the county, 10,000 are Cooks. The names fill fifteen pages in the index to birth records.

Other leading family names are Morgan, 857; Stewart, 463; Lusk, 399; and Tilley, Tolter, Taylor, Walls, Walker, Wyatt, Rose, Riffe, Privett, Lester, Shannon, Short, Dailey and Byrd.

Names beginning with the prefix "Mc" are "Mac" are plentiful but the Smiths rank way down on the list.

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Social Events and Items of Interest for the Women

Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoffman Honored At Golden Wedding Anniversary Dinner

A small gilded tree decorated with silver dollars wrapped in wedding paper, was the surprise gift presented last evening to Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoffman at a dinner given by their children in honor of their golden wedding anniversary. The dinner was held at 7 o'clock at the headquarters of Mountain City Camp No. 6, Woodmen of the World, 139 Baltimore street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hoffman were married April 3, 1891, with the late Rev. Dr. James E. Moffatt, pastor of the First Presbyterian church, officiating. Mr. Hoffman, a native of this city, was born in 1869. Mrs. Hoffman, the former Miss Ella Carothers, was born in Green Castle, Pa., in 1869.

A large cake, the present of the American stores, which is also celebrating their fiftieth anniversary, formed the center piece.

Invited guests included Mr. and Mrs. J. Earle Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Fravel, Mr. and Mrs. G. C. Parker, Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Purshouse, J. Earle Hoffman, Jr., Forrest Hoffman, Wayne Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Dorsey, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Dorsey, Howard Dorsey, Richard Dorsey.

Nancy Ann Parker, grandchildren, Anita Lee Dorsey, Raymond Dorsey, Jerome Dorsey, great grandchildren, Miss Viola Hoffman, Miss Edythe Hoffman, sisters of Mr. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Slacker, Bertha N. J. Mr. and Mrs. Frank Willis, Miss Jeanne Carothers, Philadelphia, sisters and brother-in-laws of Mrs. Hoffman, Mr. and Mrs. Leslie Widmeyer and son, Glenn, Berkeley Springs, W. Va., Mrs. Ada B. Parker and Mrs. Margaret Love.

COLUMBIA P-TA PLANS ANNIVERSARY PARTY

The silver anniversary of Columbia street school will be celebrated at 8 o'clock, April 17, in the school auditorium. Special invitations have been sent to the two former principals, Miss Isabelle Ireland, and Miss Mollie Bopst and the present principal, Miss Sarah Higgins will be an honor guest. The P-T-A is inviting all former members to the party which is for adults.

Edwin Lylla will be master of ceremonies. A play "The Old Country School" will be a feature of the program. Mrs. Marguerite Breneman and Mrs. Earl Knotts comprise the program committee; Mrs. Edwin Lylla and Mrs. William McCullough social committee; Mrs. Louis Baker and Mrs. John Lancaster hospitality committee, with Mrs. Oliver Morton publicity chairman.

Mrs. Vintor Kauffman Will Assist Brownies

Mrs. Vintor Kauffman has been named assistant leader of the new Brownie Troop No. 37, which will meet each Wednesday afternoon at 3:30 o'clock at the Maryland avenue school.

Fifteen Brownies were enrolled.



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GLAMOR GIRL TO WED



Patricia Plunkett

No. 1 glamor girl of 1940, Patricia Plunkett, daughter of Mrs. Dunbar Plunkett, of New York, will wed Joseph Hall, mining engineer, and Manhattan socialite, in New York.

In the new troop at the meeting yesterday afternoon, the ceremony enacted around the "Fairy Pool," constructed in the center of the school room floor, was conducted by Miss Phyllis McElfish, leader and Miss Florence Ann Schott, local director.

Brownies enrolled were Doris Jean Campbell, Sandra Church, Rosetta Croyle, Barbara Dentinger, Kathleen Fluke, Geraldine Karna, Norma Jean Lovell, Delores Mowery, Barbara Jane King, Delores Twigg, Donna Robinson, Jacqueline Conner, Norma Jean Davis, Mary Ackerson and Marlene Uestfall.

Guests attending were Mrs. Charles Twigg, Mrs. Wilbur Fluke, Mrs. Vintor Kauffman, and Miss Florence Ann Schott.

Luncheon Is Planned

Plans were made for a covered dish luncheon to be held April 15, at the Dame of Malta hall, between the Bedford road Home-makers club met Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. Wesley C. Light, Bedford road.

Mrs. Boyle gave a demonstration on Pin Patterns and Mrs. Spangler sang, "O Sole Mio."

Mrs. Edgar Growden presided, others present were Mrs. Albert Bramble, Mrs. Sheridan Jewell, Mrs. Thomas Wotring, Mrs. Raymond Thompson, Mrs. Lucy Reith, Mrs. H. R. Gerdeman, Mrs. E. G. Seward, Mrs. S. E. Simmons, Mrs. William Knitely, Mrs. Percy Sowers, Mrs. W. C. Sams, Mrs. R. H. Hast, Mrs. Thomas Boyle, Mrs. H. L. Brinkman, Mrs. S. C. Thom, Mrs. Carl Goetz, Mrs. G. R. Golladay, Mrs. V. J. Lindner, Mrs. W. C. Straw, Mrs. A. E. Valentine, Miss Georgia Jones.

Visitors included Mrs. L. H. Keller, Mrs. W. H. Parker, Mrs. D. K. Spangler, Miss Mary Anna Neupert, Mrs. Marian Sams, and Mrs. M. E. Robinson, who were taken in as new members.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Edgar Growden, Geophart drive, at which time flower seeds and bulbs will be exchanged.

Circle Plans Programs

Circle No. 4 of the Grace Methodist church, will meet at 2:30 o'clock, April 29, at the home of the leader, Mrs. Charles B. Callis, 309 Oldtown road.

Plans are also being made for the May meeting to be held at the home of Mrs. Alvin Wilson, Memorial avenue; the June meeting to be held at the Blue Bridge cottage of Mrs. Charles McCracken; the July meeting to be a garden party at the home of Mrs. Elva Cline, South street; and a mid-summer "quarter party" at the home of Mrs. Helen Dayton, LaVale. The last meeting was held at the home of Mrs. E. W. Yates, 46 Boone street.

Ladies Plan Party

A public "salad party" will be given at 12 o'clock, April 16, at the Masonic temple on Greene street, by the Ladies Shrine club.

Many are expected to come for lunch who do not have time to stay for the bridge, 500, and dominoes which will follow the luncheon. Play will begin about 2 o'clock.

Plan Poppy Sale

The sale of "Veteran Poppies" will be held May 24, it was decided at the meeting of the Ladies Auxiliary of the American Legion, Tuesday evening at the Legion home, Harrison street. The poppies are made by war veterans at Perry Point. Mrs. Harry Spiker was named chairman of the poppy committee, with Mrs. Pearl Allen, Mrs.

Harry Bogler, Mrs. Hyle Walker and Mrs. Harry Vogel as members. Members voted to send the usual Easter candy to the veterans at Perry Point. A social hour followed the meeting.

Troop Is Reorganized

Troop No. 1 of St. Mark's Reformed church was organized Tuesday evening by Miss Florence Ann Schott. Mrs. Vintor Kauffman will assume leadership of the troop. Because all former members joined senior Troop No. 14, Troop No. 1 was disbanded February of this year.

Members of Troop No. 1 are Martha Lee Langer, Betty Blank, Betty Hager, Helen Louise Smith, Helen Pfeiffer and Mary Margaret Langer.

Dress Making Explained

A demonstration on home dress making by Mrs. F. A. Miller, which included hints on altering patterns and showing new permanent finished fabrics for summer use, featured a meeting yesterday afternoon of the Valley Road Homemakers Club which was held in the parish house of Emmanuel Episcopal church on Washington street.

Other numbers on the program included a talk on nutrition by Mrs. J. K. Craig; a good neighbor talk on Puerto Rico by Mrs. Charles B. Collins and reading of "My Favorite Poem" by Mrs. A. E. Kasecker. Books to be read during the month were assigned by Mrs. Collins.

Events in Brief

The Executive Board of Grace Methodist church will meet at 1:30 o'clock, tomorrow afternoon, at the parsonage, Virginia avenue. Mrs. Charles LeFev will preside.

The Past Chiefs Club of Manhattan Temple No. 8, Pythian Sisters, will meet at 8 o'clock tomorrow evening at the home of Mrs. E. D. Burner, 764 Maryland avenue.

Queen City Star Lodge No. 143, Royal Star of America, will hold a banquet for its members, at 6:15 o'clock this evening at Chapel Hill House on Arch street.

A spring dance will be held April 19, at the Fort Cumberland hotel, by the Cumberland Inter-Veteran Unit Council of the Catholic Students Mission Crusade. The dance will be attended by Crusaders from Baltimore, Hagerstown, Frederick and Westminster.

Miss Mary Evelyn Ryan, Miss Kathryn Spear, Miss Mildred Shinnolt, Miss Madeline Thomas, Miss Mary Adams, Miss Dorothy Northcraft, Miss Margaret Smith, and Mrs. Allen Cage attended the C. B. S. club meeting Tuesday evening in Frostburg.

The Mizpah Bible class of Calvary Evangelical church will meet at 7:30 o'clock, April 8, at the home of Mrs. Lottie Richards, Mary street.

Mrs. John Day was honor guest at a recent party given by Mrs. Frederick M. Spicer, Dilley street.

The John Humbird P-T-A. will hold a baked ham supper from 5 to 8 o'clock this evening.

Personals

John Hart Shaffer is spending a month with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Luther P. Shaffer, 148 Fayette street. Mr. Shaffer has been in the United States Navy for two years and the past eighteen months has been stationed in Honolulu. The first of May he will be stationed in Annapolis.

Mrs. Le Roy D. Crane and daughter, Diane, Germantown, Pa., are visiting at the home of Mrs. Crane's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Frank Lee Carl, 10 Decatur street, during Diane's school vacation.

Miss Kathryn Kerlin, Philadelphia, is visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert T. Kerlin, 613 Memorial avenue.

Miss Esther Garvin, R. N., Walter Reed hospital is the guest of her mother, Mrs. R. D. Spears, 413 Grand avenue.

Roy L. Frantz is improving at his home, 726 Baker street, after being a patient at Memorial hospital.

Miss Patricia Ann Comer is ill at her home, 303 East Oldtown road.

Mrs. Louella Whiteacre, Dixie, Va., is convalescing at the home of her sister, Mrs. Carl Valentine, 210 Poca street.

Mrs. Henry Huff, 44 Lamont street, is a patient at Allegany hospital.

The body of Gilbert Robert Dignan, 34, who committed suicide Tuesday night by shooting himself through the mouth with a 20-gauge single barrel shotgun, is at the home, 215 Franklin street.

Dignan, a Western Maryland Railway train caller, was married and the father of four children, all under twelve years of age.



New Staff Photograph

MARRIED FIFTY YEARS—Pictured above are Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hoffman, of Cumberland, who will celebrate their golden wedding anniversary today. They are shown at a dinner given last night in their honor at the Woodmen of the World hall. The dinner was arranged by their children. (See story on this page).

Nine Deeds Are Recorded Here

Nine deeds, one mortgage and thirteen chattel mortgages were recorded yesterday in the clerk of courts office.

Two straw man's deeds were filed through Hazel H. Critch and Mabel Boor, trustees. The names of William L. Richards and Ella F. Richards were inscribed on one deed for a property in Frostburg on the Southern side of the National Highway and Claude A. Robertson and Hester Stevenson Robertson for a parcel at Ocean, near the C. & P. Railroad tracks.

Other deeds recorded were Grace E. Ritchie to Kenneth R. Adams and Estella M. Adams, Long, parcel four miles West of Cumberland, part of Lot 98 in the National Highway addition.

Harry C. Balch et al to John E. Liller, 468 Columbia street; Lot 11, property on Valley road, part of the Harry C. Balch lots.

James Park, tax collector, to Walter Root; Lot 57, Hammond's addition, Westport.

Walter Root to Josephine Patrick, 127 Baltimore street; Lot 57, Hammond's addition, Westport.

Marie McD. Hopkins and Francis M. Hopkins to Charles C. Moore and Mary A. Moore, 37 Wempe drive, lot on the Western side of Wempe drive, South of Oldtown road.

The mortgage recorded was Chester C. Stewart and Mern Stewart to the First Federal Savings and Loan Association; \$3,500, Frostburg, beginning on the Southern side of the National highway.

Driver Is Arrested

Thomas Logan, of Greensburg, Pa., was arrested yesterday afternoon by Officer L. L. Youngblood on a charge of careless driving. He posted \$5 bond, pending a hearing today in police court.

Hollywood beauty expert says lipstick should be applied with a brush as carefully as though you were da Vinci painting the smile on the Mona Lisa.

New coiffure is the "starched fringe" with upstanding bangs which rise from the hairline in a sort of combination pompadour and bang.

Grass and Flue Fires Keep Local Firemen Busy

Firemen of three companies were summoned yesterday to extinguish three grass blazes and a flue fire.

Central firemen answered a call at 5:55 p. m. to Welch avenue to put out a grass fire.

At 5:50 p. m., East Side firemen put out a grass blaze at 352 Bedford road. They also extinguished grass fires at 5 p. m. at the intersection of Bedford road and Regina avenue, and at 10:35 a. m. on Columbia avenue.

West Side firemen were called at 8:15 a. m. to the home of D. L. Brailer, 124 Poca street, to put out a flue fire. There was no damage.

Two Men Released

Larceny charges against Ralph Porter, 131 South Liberty street, and J. C. Faulkner, 909 Glenwood street, were dismissed yesterday after they were questioned by State's Attorney Morgan C. Harris.

Police said the men, employed in hauling fixtures from the Holtzman Pharmacy, were accused of taking some of the articles.

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Local Board of Red Cross Meets Tonight at 7:30 in Public Safety Building

Members of the board of Cumberland Chapter, Red Cross, will meet Friday night at 7:30 o'clock in the Red Cross office, Public safety building, North Liberty street. Various reports and other business will be discussed.

Local Couple Receives Marriage License In Hagerstown

A marriage license was issued at Hagerstown yesterday to Robert T. Appel, 26, and Mary E. James, 23, both of Cumberland.

Mrs. Virginia Hook Leaves Hospital

Mrs. Virginia Hook, 27, of 145 North Mechanic street, wife of Charles Hook, was discharged yesterday from Allegany hospital where she was admitted Tuesday afternoon after taking twelve sleeping tablets because she "couldn't sleep."

Mary Astor of 'the films has launched a new "bomb shelter bob" — a close-cropped coiffure which can be kept in condition with a few swift comb strokes and without a look in the mirror.

PERSONAL

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Grade Students at Virginia Avenue School Will Present Show Tonight

The fourth, fifth and sixth grades of Virginia avenue school will present the "Kiddie-Kutups Minstrel" at 7:30 o'clock this evening in the school auditorium. Donald Sensabaugh will be interlocutor, with James Mulienex, Carl Thompson, Frederick Kreiger, Joseph Henning, Walter Clark, Donald Miller, Jerry Gassell and Clinton Cage as end men.

Others taking part will be Miss Doris True, Miss Ida Cage, Miss Geraldine Siraugh, Miss Geraldine Kirby, Miss Louella Amtower, Miss Betty Lease, Miss Geraldine Phares, Miss Shirley Cage, Miss Louise Carroll, William Stepp, Richard Hants, Kenneth True, Kermit Engeland, Robert Evans, Junior Ketterman, Charles Wagley, and Richard Davis.

Specialty dances will be given by Miss Wilma King and Norma Decker. There will be several musical selections by the primary band, a saxophone solo by Miss Laura Nickel and an accordion solo by Miss Doris Jean Poorbaugh.

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Venereal Diseases Declared Menace To Armed Forces

Camp Followers Go Modern and Travel in Speedy Trailers

By STEPHEN J. McDONOUGH

WASHINGTON, April 1.—(The Special News Service)—Venereal diseases are being described as one of the greatest threats to the efficiency of American armed forces.

Just as in wartime, the spread of syphilis and gonorrhea threatens to decimate the ranks of the army and navy. Dr. Charles R. Reynolds, former surgeon-general of the army, says in an article in the military surgeon, official journal of the association of military surgeons.

Dr. Warren F. Draper, assistant surgeon general of the United States Public Health Service, adds that to keep these two diseases under control every local community, and particularly those near the army cantonments, must institute strict local control of prostitutes; isolate all infected men and women, using public funds for hospitalization and treatment when necessary; and take a constructive attitude in rehabilitation of every individual infected.

Quarantine Law Invoked

In Pensacola, Fla., last week a quarantine law was invoked against fifteen houses in a campaign against prostitution and social disease—the first time quarantining had been so used, officials said. Commanding officers of Fort Barrancas and the Pensacola naval air station had urged local action.

General Reynolds says the "camp followers" who always have trailed armies have gone modern. "As the army has become mechanized, the prostitutes have motorized," he adds, and they often get to a camp site or cantonment ahead of the troops.

Traveling in trailers which are able to move faster than army trucks, the camp-followers became camp receptionists until army medical officers came on.

Trouble During Maneuvers

General Reynolds says that during maneuvers in southern states a year ago the "situation was reminiscent of the worst environment of France in 1918" with venereal disease rates "rising immediately" after the concentration of troops in various camps.

With the vigor of World war days when General Pershing issued strict orders for the control of venereal disease, the medical corps and commanding officers from generals down to corporals went into action.

In addition to the ordinary measures for disease control employed by the army, trailers were strictly forbidden within an area of four miles surrounding any army camp during maneuvers. As a result, the disease rate dropped from 70-80 per 1,000 men to four or five per 1,000 men under arms.

Redemptionist Priest Is Holding Retreat At St. Patrick's Church

The Rev. Henry A. Mueller, C.S.S.R., minister of the Holy Redeemer College, Redemptionist House of Advanced Studies and Missions, Washington, D. C., is conducting a retreat at St. Patrick's church for students.

In addition to the students of Catholic Girls Central high school, Catholic boys and girls of St. Patrick's parish going to public high schools are attending the retreat.

The retreat will continue today and Friday with masses at 7 a. m., followed by benediction. Friday afternoon there will be rosary, sermon and benediction commencing at 3:30 o'clock.

The closing exercises will be held Friday morning with mass at 7 o'clock, holy communion, followed by a sermon and communion breakfast in the Catholic Girls Central high school cafeteria.

K. of P. District Rally Scheduled Tomorrow In Friendsville

Thomas H. Taylor, district deputy grand chancellor of the Knights of Pythias, Midland, will have charge of the second in a series of district meetings tomorrow night at Friendsville.

Lodges in Garrett and Allegany counties will be represented. The purpose of these meetings is to acquaint the members with the fundamentals of the order.

Delegations from Queen City lodge No. 136 and Cumberland lodge No. 60 will attend including D. M. Brotemarke, grand chancellor, and Nelson W. Russler and Julius Schindler, past grand chancellors.

Lions Club Directors Plan Two Future Events At Meeting Tomorrow

Members of the Lions club yesterday discussed plans for a Father and Son banquet in May and a contemplated sea food dinner at their meeting yesterday.

The two events will be considered further at the meeting of the board of directors Friday night after which an announcement will be made.

Baritone horn selections by Joseph K. Trenton provided the musical entertainment for yesterday's luncheon meeting.

ROBERT L. MARTZ, 12, WINS \$25 PRIZE IN NATIONAL CONTEST

An ingenious twelve-year-old Cumberland boy who entered a "macaroni" valentine in a nation wide contest yesterday was informed that he had won second prize and \$25 competing against persons from all over the United States.

The contest was advertised in a downtown drug store prior to Valentine's day and when Robert L. Martz, 12, a St. Patrick's school boy, saw the advertisement he decided he might as well have the prize money as anybody else.

So he went home and set to work. Richard's home-made valentine was a big card with a whopping red heart with a lace border. But what took the eye of the judges was the verse which was written with alphabet macaroni which Richard pasted on the card.

The macaroni verse read:

"From ashes to ashes,
Dust to dust,
If Heaven don't get you—
I must."

The job completed, Richard showed the card to his mother, Mrs. Isabelle Martz, 448 Goethe street, with the comment that he thought it was pretty good. His mother thought so too and they mailed it to the Chicago firm sponsoring the contest. Mrs. Martz forgot about it but Richard expressed no surprise when the second prize check arrived yesterday.

Fort Meade Men Will Be Shifted

Transfers of Recruits To Get under Way This Week

FORT GEORGE G. MEADE, April 2. (AP)—Systematic transfer of selective service recruits to the Twenty-Ninth division for training will begin this week, with 200 Maryland and Virginia selectees expected to arrive here Friday night or Saturday from Camp Lee, Va.

This contingent will be followed next Wednesday by 225 more recruits who will be turned over by the regular army reception center here to the One Hundred and Seventy-Sixth field artillery.

Colonel Herbert L. Grimes, assistant chief of staff of the division in charge of personnel, said a total of 925 selectees will be inducted into the regiment between April 9 and 14, and nearly 1,100 others will come from Camp Lee during the early part of the month.

The rest of the 9,000 selective service men who are to bring the Twenty-Ninth division up to its war strength of more than 19,000 men probably will not be received until May, Colonel Grimes said.

Various delays, chief of which has been slowness of completing division buildings, due to bad weather and other causes, have forced the reception of the rest of the new men to be postponed.

The 925 selectees to be sent to the One Hundred and Seventy-Sixth field artillery, like the men in the regiment, are from Pittsburgh, Pa., and vicinity.

Of the entire group scheduled to arrive from Camp Lee, 579 Maryland men will go to Maryland's One Hundred and Tenth field artillery.

Twenty-one others from Maryland will go to the One Hundred and Fourth ordnance company.

Police Pension Fund Would Be Bankrupt If Four Officers Are Added

The police pension fund will be depleted in sixteen months if the four men slated by an order introduced by Commissioner James Orr are retired, according to figures released by Arthur B. Gibson, city auditor.

The pension fund totals \$4,958.30 as of April 1. During the year \$1,450 will be added, making a total of \$6,408.30.

With two officers already on pension receiving \$135 a month between them and the proposed addition of four men to the retired list the monthly output will soar to \$457.50. In one year \$5,490 would have to be paid out leaving a balance of \$918.30.

The pension fund was set up during the special session of the legislature in 1936. The police officers pay one percent of their salary and the city matches it with a like sum.

Five Draftees of Local Board No. 2 Are Rejected At Induction Station

Five of the thirty draftees of Local Board No. 2 who left here Tuesday morning were rejected at the induction station in Baltimore.

Although no official word was received from the induction station four of the men rejected reported to P. Emmet Fahy, clerk of Board No. 2, on their return to this city.

They are Max M. Kline, Charles P. Sweeney, Thomas E. Bennett and John W. Johnston. One other man was rejected but none of the four knew his name.

Replacements will be sent as soon as official call is received from state headquarters.

New costume jewel trick is a necklace of simulated jewel colored fish swung from a crystal chain, affecting water bubbles.

New Patent Is Issued To Celanese Corporation; Produces Supple Material

A patent relating to sheet material coated with compositions having a basis of cellulose acetate or other cellulose derivative was issued this week to the Celanese Corporation of America on the application of G. Schneider.

According to the invention a mixture of cellulose acetate, a plasticizer and a volatile agent, such as ethyl alcohol, is allowed to stand until a gel is formed. Then the gel is subjected to the action of heat in a closed vessel for a short period and then for a shorter period in an open vessel, until the content of the swelling agent has been substantially reduced.

The mixture is then worked in malaxating rolls until substantially all of the swelling agent has been removed and the converted mixture is transferred to calendaring rolls where it is united by heat and pressure alone to the base sheet material, such as a fabric, in the substantial absence of a solvent for the cellulose acetate.

The products, especially when textile fabrics are used as the base, are supple and flexible.

4,000 Persons

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tion of Milton A. Holtz, musical director of the school.

The apparatus quite an array of electrical equipment, including a console, two large cabinets and amplifiers. The console resembles a little old-fashioned organ with a small keyboard and a pedal. It is played by a girl operator.

In his talk, Dr. Perrine discussed speech sounds and their basic elements, and the operator performed some interesting speech demonstrations to illustrate the points made by him. He showed that after various sounds have been studied, their re-creation by proper combinations of acoustic frequencies becomes an easy task.

Telephone Research Discussed

Dr. Perrine's lecture touched also upon the significance of the Voder as a step in serious telephone research. With the means of artificially creating speech at hand, he believes there is possibility of doing this at a distant point. He feels that it is possible, through further scientific research, that some day the words spoken into a telephone may be converted into telephone signals, which, in turn, at the distant end of the line, will control electrical currents to recreate the words of the speaker.

"It is a question, of course, that cannot be answered now. But, since telegraph signals may be transmitted over a much narrower band of frequencies than is required for direct voice transmission, such sending of telephone messages by telegraphic means would make possible the multiplication of speech channels over telephone lines by methods different from the present highly acceptable carrier systems.

At any rate, this is the objective of the long research, started twenty years ago, that has resulted in the development of the Voder. It is hoped that facilities may be developed for carrying more telephone conversations over existing lines without interference of one with any other.

This electrical apparatus, which does create speech sounds quite well, is the first of its kind in the world, after many splendid attempts dating back to 1780 to do the same by mechanical means.

SS. Peter

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Ginn as Pontius Pilate and Calphas, played by Ambrose McKenzie were two high spots in the characterizations.

Annette Fossett as Mary Magdalen and Teresa Pirie as Mary, Mother of Jesus Christ, were effective in their parts.

Six pupils of SS. Peter and Paul school played the parts of little children in the crowd scenes. They were Mary Ann Hotchkiss, Jack Stickley, Peggy Geatz, Louise Price, Nancy Geatz and Laing Lawler.

Large Cast in Production

Other members of the big cast were Leo Ley, Jr., Joseph Mackert, William Ward, Wyand Doerner, William Price, Howard Reichert, John Martz, Jack Mattingly, Louis Soethe, John Small, George Simmons and Frank Barreis, as the twelve Apostles.

Kathleen Swann, an angel; Ralph Knerlem, Tibertius, Marcellus Barnard, Annas, a high priest; Bernard McGann and Joseph Chaloner, two members of the Sanhedrin; John McLean, Hillel; Edward Neus, Thasur, doctor of law; Charles Brode, Longinus, Roman centurion.

Kathryn McKenzie, Veronica; Helen Kerber, Pilate's wife, Claudia; Charles Brode, Joseph Mackert, Paul Weissenmiller and Richard Aman played the parts of Jews; Herman Orbenstein, soul of Thasus; James Swann, Simon of Cyrene; Joseph McGinn, Bartimaeus, a blind man; Francis Collins, Malchus, a servant; Joseph Becker, Didacus, servant of Pilate.

Leroy Stickley, servant of Nicodemus; Francis Mullan and Jack Mattingly, the two thieves hung on either side of Jesus; Ronald and Donald Palmer and Edward Burke, soldiers; Theckla Price, Martha; Virginia Porter, Benita; Louise Mattingly, Miriam; Mary Lawler, Irene Ley, Adrian Becker and Kathryn Doerner, slave girls.

The play was strictly a Biblical drama presented with all the simplicity and force of the Scriptural story of Christ's Passion. It will be presented again tonight and Friday night.

NEW OFFICERS OF ELKS INSTALLED LAST NIGHT BY ARTHUR B. GIBSON

Newly elected officers of Cumberland Lodge No. 63, B.P.O. Elks, were installed last night by Arthur B. Gibson, past exalted ruler. He was assisted by past exalted rulers of the lodge.

The nine elective officers installed were Alfred Howe, exalted ruler; Lester Deneen, esteemed leading knight; George Lyming, esteemed loyal knight; Dr. Albert C. Cook, lecturing knight; James Yarnall, secretary; Edgar A. Dashiell, treasurer; William Jenkins, tiler; Matthew Coffey, trustee; and Paul M. Fletcher, alternate to grand lodge.

Officers appointed by Exalted Ruler Howe and installed last night were Elmer B. Gower, esquire; Michael P. O'Neill, Jr., inner guard; Harry I. Stegmaler, organist; and Douglas Heron, P.E.R., chaplain.

Following the ceremony a buffet luncheon was served in the grill room.

Ridgeley Grade

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Wood, Merle Cornelius and Ronald Hoerler play the parts of two elves in the service of the cobbler.

Fairies who bring gifts to the princess' party are portrayed by Joyce Comer, Carol Dersin, Madeline Morris, Janet Knerlem, and Carolyn Ann Kerns while Anna Grace Phillips plays the part of a guest at the party.

Seven choruses appear in the three-act play.

Painter Elves—John Galford, Bill Brinkman, Robert Grimes, Kenneth McCullough, Roy Comer, Robert Kesner, Bill Harvey, Robert Baker, Myrl Zimmers, Jimmy Kirk and Charles Clites.

Ladies in Waiting—Jean Knerlem, Marjorie Bean, Catherine Payne, Edith Maier, Pauline Johnson, Beverlee Jewell and Joyce Eckard.

Cooks—Billie Myers, Onelda Imes, Mary L. Hartman, Betty L. Flanagan, Margaret Galford, Mary M. Fleming, Marybelle Penner, Mildred Nelson, Virginia Lee Beck and Deloras Lambert.

Elves—Joe McKenzie (soloist), Richard Magruder, Donald Rhodes, Sterling Flanagan, Bernard Saville, Earl Brant, Richard Dorsey, Ralph Imes, Edgar Stein, Donald Beechly, Donald Spangler and Bernard High.

Cobblers—James Simmons, Billy Ellifritz, Garland Spangler, Robert McCullough, Carl Hartman, Richard Beeghly, Charise Abe, Harry Arrington, Lawrence Tierney, Paul Morgan, James Baker, Eugene Stokes and John Sima.

Fairies—Joyce Comer, Carol Dersin, Madeline Morris, Janet Knerlem, Carolyn Ann Kerns, Lonella Grimes, Betty Jean Mullen, Margaret Shahan, Joan Nichols, Barbara Grim, Toya Spangler, Jacqueline Perry, Betty Brinkman, and Evelyn Weakley.

Guests—Phyllis Jean Comer, Lois Fridley, Lois Decker, Evelyn Cassell, Joan Magruder, Noia Edeenhart, Hohan Lockard, Virginia Lee Halterman, Eleanor Riggelman, Marcelline Stokes, Dorothy Winebrenner, Mary Lee Riggelman, Ann Grace Phillips, Marlene Bloss, Juanita Wilson, Betty Comer, Lois Logsdon and Elva Mae Powelson.

Specialty Characters

Characters in the specialty "Here Comes the Captain" include James Rowe, Jack Stein, John Hager, Robert Spangler, Billy Mollan, Howard Mairs, Edward McPadden, Norman Smith, Eddie Moore, Allen James, Eston Lambert, Bobby Brown, Paul Smith, Raymond Jones, Teddy Fisher, Ralph Wetzel, Darrell Van Meter, Royce Hershberger, Gary Hutt and Albert Decker.

Old McDonald's Farm

Farmers—Eugene James, Gene Kramph, Howard Diehl, Eugene Welles, Charles Diehl, Robert Maxon, Edgar Myers, Burke Baker, Franklin Lockard, Burke Riggelman, James McFarland, John Kramph, Carter Harness and Ronald Ryan.

Farmettes—Mary Lou Garner, Betty Phillips, Jean Mellon, Virginia Miller, Rita Myers, Clara Hershberger, Annabelle Diehl, Shirley Miller, Virginia Coleman, Catherine Grim, Pauline Wilkins, Nancy Marvin, Anna F. Phillips and Helen Kirk.

Chest Drive

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the needed \$3,313 would be reported at the final meeting.

The women's section, with Mrs. Morris Rosenbaum, chairman, and Mrs. William M. Somerville, co-chairman, is the only one of the four main groups of workers to have reached the section goal. The women have reported \$4,265, or 101 per cent of their quota.

There will be no report luncheon today. Dr. Frank M. Wilson, general chairman for the drive, announced. The campaign will close Friday with a noon report.

Phillip Showacre

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Cumberland, is among those surviving.

Mrs. Lashley Succumbs

Mrs. Cora Lashley, 59, wife of Emmer D. Lashley, of Artemas, Pa. died yesterday afternoon at Memorial hospital.

The body was removed to Wolford's funeral home, this city.

Two Grass Fires Are Reported

Two grass fires yesterday on Polish and Dan's mountain brought the spring total to twelve, Urner Wigfield, forest warden, said yesterday.

Due to the wind and sunshine the last few days, dead grass and old leaves are quite dry Wigfield said yesterday in urging persons burning dead grass and rubbish to exercise care.

The three observation towers in Allegany county have been opened for the season, it was announced. The towers are located on Town Hill, Warrior mountain and Dan's mountain.

Negro Is Acquitted

Joseph E. Simms, negro, of 432 Pine avenue, was acquitted yesterday in police court on charges of selling alcoholic beverages after midnight Sunday. His \$100 bond was refunded.

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THE DAILY STORY

JIVE VERSION

The Love Bug versus the Saxophone, and How a Girl's Happiness Hung in the Balance

By JAMES O'HARA

Tenny Onslow wouldn't have had any trouble whatever, professionally speaking, if he hadn't made the old blunder of letting his Springtime yams lead him into trying to mix business with pleasure. Even with



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don't. And some of them have families.

Otis sprang a shrewd look at his band leader. "Sure they have! I'm nuts, leaving the Orioles in a spot like this. Otis! I'm a worm—but you can't regulate the tender passion, can you?"

"You've been reading books again, Tenny," Otis soothed him. "You go back and get the band swinging together again like only you can, and I promise I'll attend to the whole thing. Just leave it to me!"

"That sounds screwy to me!" "Love is screwy, pal!" Otis corrected. "The boys need you in there. They're just a bunch of noodlers unless you give them that old spirit with the sax, my boy. So let me handle this thing in my own way and you won't regret it."

Otis had an idea that he could wangle a solution out of the situation, but he found the going tough. Forty-five was not so old, and when he got confidential with the lovely young Boots, he felt in a smaller measure what Tenny must have been feeling all along. Boots was a winner in anybody's league!

"This love stuff is wrecking the Orioles, Boots," he told her in his private office one afternoon after he had figured out his plan. "Are you, honest Injun, the same way about Tenny as he is about you? In love, I mean?"

"Mr. Onslow is just a good friend, outside of being my immediate employer," she said haughtily and on

guard. Otis waved her wearily into a chair.

"I'm not a newshawk, kid. I don't give a hoot about what you do outside of working hours or what you feel. But when you're on the job, I want you to give!" He looked unhappy. "Tenny is off the deep end about you and I don't blame him an awful lot. But why don't you marry him, or turn him down—anything so he can get back to normal?"

"Let's go out somewhere for a quiet bite to eat and we can talk it over, Otis," the singer suggested, getting up so that she was alarmingly near to him. He saw that her deep blue eyes looked big even at short range. "I like Tenny, but that goggle pipe of his drives me crazy sometimes!"

"It does? Why, Tenny's sax appeal is the only thing that's holding the Orioles up, kid!"

Boots dimpled. "That makes me remember something, Otis dear. I have a roommate who just adores sax music—and especially Tenny's. She can sing, and I was wondering if I couldn't bring her over for a tryout for my job. I've been considering leaving!"

Otis stood in thoughtful contemplation for a moment and then took Boots' arm with one hand and grabbed his best hat off the hatrack with the other and piloted her to the door.

"That's an angle that's worthy of a little deep thought, Miss Marlow," The girl smiled pointedly. "Boots

WIFE PRESERVERS



When buying new towels, look carefully over the hems. Well wearing towels should have hems that are turned neatly back, stitched firmly with fine stitches. The corners of the hems should be back-stitched.

to you," she directed. "Let's go!"

Digging Tenny out of his predicament had a salutary effect on Otis. He dug into the old war bag for new clothes, he gave Boots Marlow an unexpected vacation and suddenly put in Boots' friend, Claire Nealon, as substitute. It worked out better than he had bargained for.

"How would you like to keep Claire on when Boots comes back from Miami, Otis?" Tenny demanded one afternoon after rehearsal. "Claire's a good kid, and she's got music in her blood—especially sax talk. When we do a boogie num-

ber together the kid's out of the world!"

"But how about Boots? You can't have two dames solo for you, Tenny. It just doesn't work. I've been thinking about asking Boots to be my ball-and-chain, Tenny. Would that make things all right?"

To his relief and surprise, Tenny grabbed his hand and pumped it eagerly. Boots and Tenny had been very cool toward the romantic situation just before she left, just after Claire slid into the picture.

"We'll make it a double, you and Boots and Claire and me!" he offered. "And the Orioles can do the Mendelssohn in the new jive version I've been intending to spring when the right time came!" (Distributed by United Feature Syndicate.)

Tomorrow: A young heir comes of age in more ways than one. Read "Farmer Boy," by Joseph Barlow.

Ernest T. Weir Resigns From GOP Committee

WASHINGTON, April 2.—Ernest T. Weir of Pittsburgh, chairman of the National Steel Corp., has resigned as chairman of the Republican National Finance committee, it was announced here.

Rep. Joseph W. Martin, Jr., chairman of the National committee, who announced the resignation, said he had given no consideration to a

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School Experts May Be Wrong About Romance

By BEATRICE FAIRFAX, Famous Authority on Problems of Love and Marriage — Distributed by King Features Syndicate, Inc.

It seems, if anything remains after blaming Hitler, Himmler, Goebbels, Goering, for present-day mad-

ness, that they blame the leftovers on the motion pictures. Why do girls leave home? Influence of motion pictures. Why do aged husbands and wives see affinities in the youngsters who come to visit their sons and daughters. The absurd attraction is attributed to motion pictures. Why do wives despise their humble home and imagine if they'd got their just dues they'd be dwelling in marble halls? Moving pictures. Why do young men get in financial troubles and go to jail after studying the high finance antics of glamour boys on the screen? Motion pictures.

Not the Only Factor Perhaps the movies may be responsible for a trace of dissatisfaction with the two-room, kitchenette and bath. Or the little woman, after seeing and hearing Charles Boyer or Robert Taylor make love, may feel that the gentleman she accepted for better or for worse has a good deal to learn in the gentle art of lovemaking. But not all the sins in the catalogue can be laid to the door of the flickers.

Now along comes the American Association of School Administrators with a study of relations between school, family life and the child. Among their findings is that "exaggerated ideas of romance, which obstruct good preparation for marriage, are blamed on motion pictures. Much false teaching may be traced to the movies," say the association, "because box-office appeal outweighs any tendencies toward presentation of normal family life."

Many Are Thrilling I wonder! Because more than half of the letters which come to this column are not from girls who crave walking down the marble staircase of some stately palace to the Apollo waiting among the expensive rugs and bric-a-brac on the floor below my correspondents want to know how they can make it perfectly plain to the favored boy friend that they are more than willing to take over the responsibilities of a walk-up, cold-water flat on the third floor of a grim apartment house.

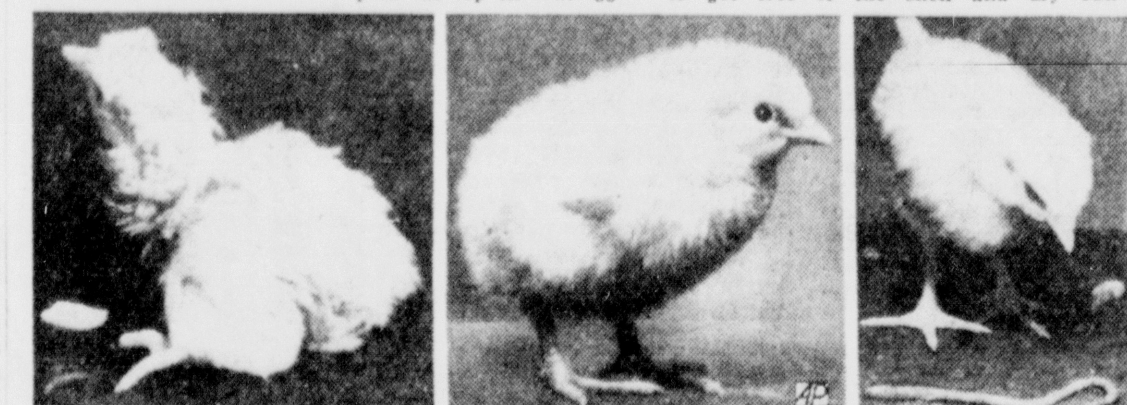
The worthy educators recommend red hands, not lips, and especially not slaughter-house fingernails. Less glamour and more dish-washing is what they have recommended after their extensive two-year study of conditions.

Education Helps They have decided also that happier families would result from more education within the responsibilities of future wives and mothers. "Something in elementary education might help prepare girls to be happy in home-making. Instead of wondering how soon after the marriage ceremony they can get back on the old job," The report says further: "Education for girls

One Little Chick Who Won't Be an Easter Pet



Three weeks in an incubator—then this. Quite a trick, twisting to peck the top off that egg. Born tired, that's all. It took half an hour to get free of the shell and dry out.



The first hundred steps are the hardest in a baby chick's life. Dry, fluffy and cute—and wondering just what it's all about. Chick, meet Worm—a pleasure not mutual.

AP Feature Service Approximately 700,000,000 baby chicks will be hatched in the United States this year, if it is a normal chicken year. If it were made into stew, there would be about five chickens in the pot for every American citizen. They don't all go into pots, of course. Many are sold as Easter pets for children. The hatching season starts in April; reaches a peak in May and ends in July, although chicks are hatched the year 'round. The Easter chick trade has slumped in recent years because many cities have passed laws forbidding the sale of chicks, ducks and other birds and animals for child's pets. Likewise it is forbidden to dye them in Easter colors. Mechanical motherhood brings eggs without losing more than a most of America's baby chicks into chick or two.

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Dallas, Kansas City Win Traffic Safety Awards

CHICAGO, April 2 (AP)—The National Safety Council has announced that Dallas, Tex., and Kansas City, Mo., were the co-winners of the grand award among cities in the national traffic safety contest.

has perhaps been pointed too much toward careers in lines other than that of homemaking. As far as home-making is concerned, you've got to be invited to help make the home. And that seems to be the headache of a good many of the girls who write me letters. The boys don't come across with an invitation to collaborate in home-making. When they do invite someone to share the home, it's not the girl whose hands are red from dish-washing, but the one who has the longest and reddest fingernails, with lipstick to match the highest heels, the most diaphanous gowns and all sorts of fol de rols. The sensible girl is left to sit it out at dances.

Coal Mining Boom Town On Way to 'Ghost' Status

BURNSVILLE, W. Va., April 2 (AP)—The last trace of a coal mining boom which made Bover a thriving Braxton county community has been erased and today the village bids fair to become a "ghost town." John Tibbitt, superintendent of the West Virginia Coal and Coke Corporation mine at Bover, moved his offices to Norton, and the last group of employees followed.

The community, which a number of years ago was larger than Burnsville, is now a quiet and serene village of some twenty families, a post-office and a two-room school.

Postmaster Retires

WESTMINSTER, Md., April 2 (AP)—George E. Smith, of New Windsor, has retired after forty-one years as a rural letter carrier in the United States postal service. Capping his service was a letter of congratulations from Postmaster General Frank C. Walker.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE
THIS IS TO GIVE NOTICE that the subscriber has obtained from the Orphans Court of Allegany County, Maryland, letters of Administration on the estate of Edward A. Showacre, late of Allegany County, Maryland, deceased. All persons having claims against the deceased are hereby warned to exhibit the same, with the vouchers therefor duly authenticated, to the subscriber on or before the 1st day of October, 1941. The date of the inventory of the estate of said deceased is set for the 1st day of April, 1941.

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ORDER OF PUBLICATION

Isabella Parrill vs. Edward C. Parrill, No. 15860 Equity in the Circuit Court for Allegany County.
The object and purpose of this bill is to procure a divorce a vinculo matrimonii by Isabella Parrill from Edward C. Parrill the Defendant. The Bill sets out that the parties were married on October 12, 1927, and no children have been born. That although the Plaintiff conducted herself as a kind, faithful and affectionate wife yet the Defendant by his intolerable conduct forced a separation of the parties, whereby the Defendant deserted the Plaintiff and has declared his intention to live with her no longer and that the separation of the parties has continued uninterruptedly for at least three years, and that there is no reasonable hope or expectation of reconciliation. That the Plaintiff has resided in Allegany County for more than two years prior to bringing this suit and the Defendant, when last heard from, was a non-resident of the State of Maryland, residing in Winchester, Virginia. The Bill then prays for a divorce and for further relief.
It is thereupon this 26th day of March, 1941, by the Circuit Court for Allegany County, ordered that notice of the object and substance of the Bill of Complaint be given by publication in some daily newspaper published in Allegany County once a week for four successive weeks before the 27th day of April, next, warning the Defendant to be and appear in Court, either in person or by solicitor, on or before the 15th day of May, and show cause, if any he has, why a decree ought not to be passed as prayed.
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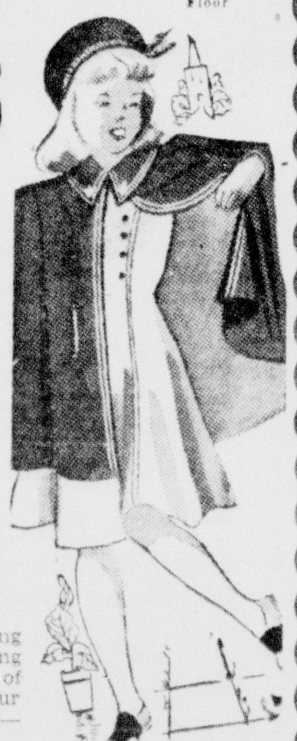
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Discovery of Such 'Magic Bullets' as Sulfa Compounds Important

By LOGAN CLENDENING, M. D.
A reader writes me in agonizing phraseology about boils that he has under the armpit and on the back of the neck. There must be many people who will sympathize with him.

The circumstance is quite peculiar. Theoretically, we would suppose that an infection would produce an immunity so that when it was healed up at one time in one spot, it would not be likely to recur. However, skin infections are subject to rules of their own. For instance, erysipelas, which is an infection of the skin, is more likely to come as a recurrence than if it hadn't happened at all. A person—and it is usually an elderly person who has erysipelas—will have an attack, completely recover, and then within a week or ten days have another one and go through the experience all over again.

Come In Crops
Perhaps the infections in the skin which we call either boils or carbuncles, obey the same immunologic rules. Certain it is that especially in the armpit, boils will come in crops and keep pestering the poor victim indefinitely.

The best advice that we can give at the present time is to use an immune sort of substance known as staphylococcus toxoid. This must be given by a doctor because it needs to be given hypodermically at intervals of about every four days. In such cases also the new chemical substances which have been so valuable in the treatment of pneumonia and other sorts of infections—sulfanilamide and sulfathiazole, etc.—should be used.

The most comforting treatment for these recurrent boils is some form of hot fomentation. Treatment by suction cups is also very grateful. Curiously enough, surgical incision is not as likely to be as successful as in other forms of abscess.

Doctor Better Equipped
The modern doctor is in a much better position to take care of all kinds of infections than he was ten or even five years ago. The value of the chemical substances which I just mentioned in the

Tired Kidneys Often Bring Sleepless Nights

Doctors say your kidneys contain 15 miles of tiny tubes or filters which help to purify the blood and keep you healthy. When they get tired and don't work right in the daytime, many people have to get up nights. Frequent or scanty passages with smarting and burning sometimes shows there is something wrong with your kidneys or bladder. Don't neglect this condition and lose valuable, restful sleep. When excretion of kidney function permits poisonous matter to remain in your blood, it may also cause nagging backache, rheumatic pains, leg pains, loss of pep and energy, swelling, puffiness under the eyes, headaches and dizziness. Don't wait! Ask your druggist for Doan's Pills, used successfully by millions for over 40 years. They give happy relief and will help the 15 miles of kidney tubes flush out poisonous waste from your blood. Get Doan's Pills.

treatment of invasion by certain germs, is undoubtedly very powerful. It was the dream of Doctor Ehrlich, who has been so interestingly celebrated by Dr. Paul de Kruif in his chapter called "The Magic Bullet" in "Microbe Hunters," that some chemicals would destroy the invading germs and leave the human tissues unaffected. That is why he called it "The Magic Bullet." He thought he could shoot it into the body and it would select the enemy germs, not destroying the others.

About twenty years ago one of these magic bullets was invented, called "mercurochrome." It works very well on the surface of the body but it did not do what was expected of it when injected into the blood stream. The recent discovery of sulfanilamide and its cousins and its derivatives, has been far more successful in practice along that line.

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Dinner: Tomato broth, one portion fish (lean), one small potato, one portion beets, one portion onions, one slice bread, one-half inch thick; one-half pat butter, tea with lemon.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS
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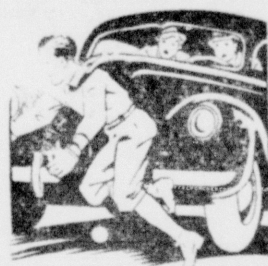
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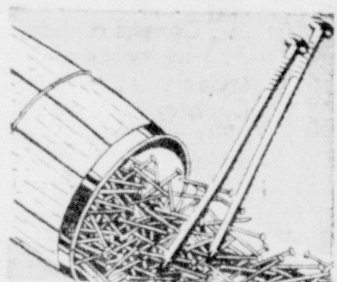
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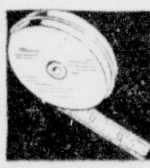
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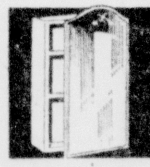
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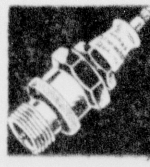
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5.25-17	5.19	6.15	6.65	7.85
5.25-18	4.97	5.75	6.45	7.75
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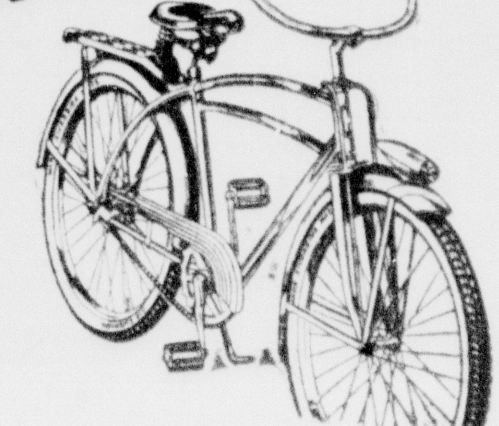
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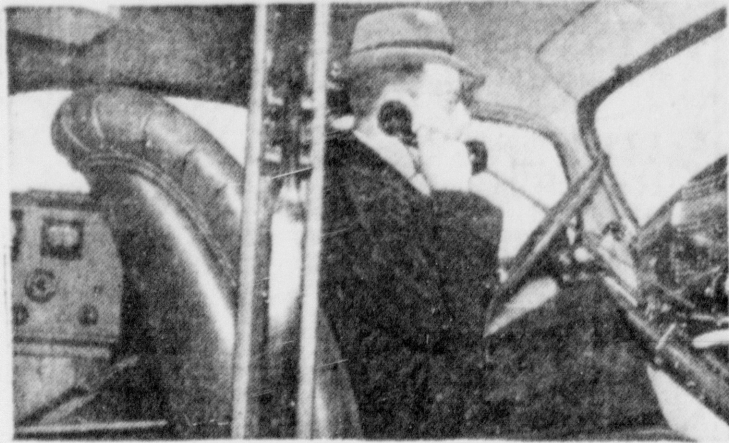
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Bootleg Stations Tracked Down Swiftly By Widespread System of Radio Police



Direction finding equipment in this radio spy patrol car tells how close the car is to a transmitting set, can even spot the room of an apartment from which signals are coming.

By MORGAN M. BEATTY
AP Feature Service Writer

WASHINGTON—The radio broke the silence in the office of the chief of Uncle Sam's radio police—George Sterling.

"Sta. 1x—274 degrees; Sta. 3x—97 degrees; Sta. 9x—67 degrees," it chattered. "Check!"

A man with a gadget that looked like a tiny ladder with wobbly rungs bent over a map of the United States. He marked off distances, drew lines, straightened up.

"The unknown station is operating within a radius of 20 miles of Kansas City," he said.

"Right," said Chief Sterling.

Another training test was over for the other cops of the Federal Communications Commission. They had located a "bootleg" radio station in a matter of minutes. Each other detective was stationed many hundreds of miles from the others. One was in the Far West, another in the Southwest, another in the East.

They had cruised the radio spectrum, found the mysterious signal, and given the direction of its source from true north in degrees of a circle. Not a one of them knew why they were hunting the signal. Not a one of them knew exactly where it was. But the co-ordinating staff in Washington saw the whole picture, plotted the position of the suspected station within a few miles.

If the chief had wanted to finish the problem, he'd have rushed mobile direction finding units into Kansas City and, using the same methods, traced the sender right down to his chair.

They Got Their Man

It's all a part of the co-ordinated federal defense program. The independent radio detective unit was set up by Chief Engineer E. K. Jett of the Federal Communications Commission. Sterling was selected for his job because his record showed uncanny ability during World War I to locate German radio stations by direction finding methods.

Jett and Sterling have blanketed the country with more than 100 field stations, many of them mobile units.

To test their efficiency, the FCC radio police recently traced a gambling syndicate operating an illegal set at a race track. They walked right up to a man in the grandstand broadcasting into a coat-sleeve microphone.

That may sound almost unbelievable. But it's fairly simple for radio engineers who know the natural laws of the atmosphere. There's no such thing as a secret radio signal, they'll tell you. Besides, radio has rules, like keeping to the right on a highway. When a driver gets off the reg-

ular path, he's soon reported or wrecked.

The FCC has also demanded proof of citizenship from more than 100,000 radio operators, including the amateurs. All persons handling confidential government messages are fingerprinted; investigated. Commercial operators are barred from chatting on the air. Amateurs may not talk with hams abroad.

FBI Men Coach Police

That's only one unit of the federal system of spy prevention.

The FBI training school is taking on forty-five new agents a week, showing them through the regular and the espionage training courses, working them twelve hours a day.

Soon Director J. Edgar Hoover will have a force of 1,700 trained men.

Some 400 graduates of the FBI's national police academy are running training schools in their home towns, stressing espionage.

More than 1,200 of the 1,500 plants holding priority defense contracts have been inspected by FBI special agents, and their spy prevention systems assayed. A complete manual for factory protection is in the hands of all holders of defense contracts.

All this is a modern, scientific answer to modern and scientific espionage systems originating in Europe, and now coming over here. Obviously this system won't be

smooth and perfect like a Gestapo or a GPU, but we shall soon see who'll win the battle of the fifth column.

Another Nomination For 'Meanest Thief'

RHODELL, W. Va., April 2 (AP)—Charles Maynard thinks he was the victim of one of the "meanest" thieves ever to ply his trade in this community.

Maynard reported to police that his cane was stolen while he prayed at the altar of the Church of God. Maynard has a cork leg and used the walking stick constantly.

Veteran Country Doctor Writes Autobiography

LOGAN, W. Va., April 2 (AP)—After fifty years of riding horseback up Logan's hollows and along Logan's ridges to minister to the sick, Dr. S. B. Lawson decided to write a book telling of his experiences during half a century as a country doctor.

Titled "Autobiography and Reminiscences," the book has just been published by the Logan Banner.

In addition to his personal experiences, Dr. Lawson relates numerous anecdotes he has collected during his long professional life and

includes "a compendium of personal medical observations, theories and advice and some practical information."

He notes sadly that the human relationship that existed between the country doctor and his patients has given way to one less personal and more business-like, but adds: "Regrettable as the passing of the old days must be to other oldtimers like myself, we must nevertheless recognize and pay honor to the diligence and humanitarian impulses that have revolutionized the field of medical practice and express gratitude for the therapeutic products of tireless research that are now available to the medical profession."

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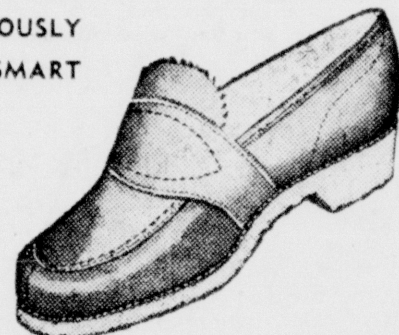
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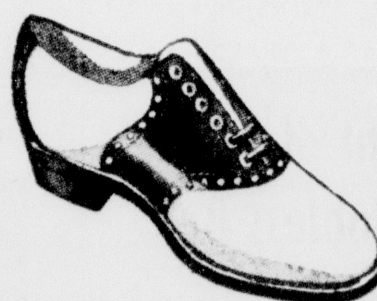
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Kraft-Phenix Co. Sells Moorefield Cheese Factory

Forest McAdams To Operate Plant as Valley Cheese Company

MOOREFIELD, W. Va., April 2.—Forest McAdams purchased the Kraft-Phenix Cheese Corporation's Moorefield plant, effective yesterday, and is now operating under the name of the Valley Cheese Company.

McAdams was manager of the Moorefield plant for two years in 1937 and 1938 and is well known among the milk producers in this area. He operated a Kraft-Phenix plant in Paoli, Ind., from the time he left Moorefield until his return Sunday.

H. E. Johnson, Indianapolis, representing the cheese corporation, was in Moorefield this week completing the details of the transaction, inventorying equipment and supplies and turning over the plant to McAdams.

McAdams announced that he would make very few changes in the policy of the operation of the plant and would continue to purchase milk from the producers in this area. He stated that the market on fluid milk was on the upturn and that the price of milk would depend on the current market. He pointed out that the demand for cheese received a marked impetus since the passage of the Lend-Lease bill by Congress.

The output of the plant will be bought by the Kraft-Phenix organization although local dealers can continue to purchase directly from the plant.

Loring Vance will continue with the new company.

It is understood that the cheese company's reason for disposing of the plant was to cut administrative expense, since the plant was located so far from other units of the company.

Airport Work Begins

National Youth Administration employees will start working within the next few days clearing stumps and trees for the proposed Moorefield airport, according to O. Lee Heltzel, district supervisor for the NYA in Hardy county.

The field on the Phil Inskip farm was leased recently by the town of Moorefield for ten years.

The Inskip field was approved by Civil Aeronautics Authority engineers as being the best site of the five fields inspected. It is located on the Caledonia hill to the left of the road on the Wardensville pike. Three runways have been tentatively set out, the main runway in an east-west direction to be 2,000 feet long, with sufficient reserve area to extend it to 4,000 feet if necessary.

Permission has been granted by Mr. Inskip to erect the necessary hangars and install the necessary equipment for servicing planes. When the port is completed, Moorefield will have the only field in this section equipped to service planes, and being in the center of the South Branch valley, will have the best approaches of any field in this part of the state.

In the lease, a golf course was also included as the two projects would not interfere with each other.

Three Hurt in Crash

Three persons were injured, two seriously, late Monday afternoon when a truck driven by John Samuel Pankhouser collided with a car driven by Clarence High, Purgitsville, just south of Moorefield.

Riding with High were his wife, Mrs. Effie High, who suffered a fractured left knee cap, High suffered chest injuries. Both were taken to the Potomac hospital in Keyser. Two children, also riding with High, were uninjured although badly shaken up.

Pankhouser suffered an injury to both knees. State police placed no charges against either of the drivers. Both cars were badly damaged, and the car driven by High overturned.

Mineral 4-H Clubs Rated as Standard

MORGANTOWN, W. Va., April 2.—Almost one fourth of West Virginia's 1,201 4-H clubs have been rated as standard, C. H. Hartley, state 4-H leader, announced.

To qualify for such rating, the club must hold at least twelve meetings during the year, one of which must be public, and no less than thirty per cent of the members must complete their projects and at least twenty-five per cent of the membership must attend the county 4-H camp.

Last year 377 clubs met the requirements.

The farming county of Monroe led the state from the standpoint of project completions with a percentage of ninety-two. Hartley reported.

Five other counties were designated as meeting the standard requirements of the 4-H program in 1940. They were Gilmer, Marshall, Mineral, Nicholas and Webster.

"DEAR MOM, HAVING SWELL TIME"



Recumbent beside a machine gun at his new camp, Corp. Leonas Smith, of Anniston, Ala., writes a letter home to tell his folks he has arrived safely at Panama City, Fla. Attached to Company M Twenty-second Infantry, Smith was with the Fourth division on its 200-mile motor-march from Fort Benning, Ga., to the Florida training center.

Grantsville High To Give Operetta Friday, Saturday

Proceeds from 'Belle of Baghdad' To Be Used for School Library

GRANTSVILLE, April 2.—Students of Grantsville high school will present their annual operetta Friday and Saturday evenings. A matinee will also be given Friday afternoon. "The Belle of Baghdad," a two-act comedy, has been chosen for this year's production.

The cast includes Maxine Beachy, Miriam Detrick, Arlene Beachy, Dale Miller, Mary Emma McKenzie, Wilma Rhodeheaver, Virginia Miller, Elwood Edgar, Mahlon Warnick, Elizabeth Yommer, Joseph Blocher, Edgar Bender, Mary Houck and Eldred Stahl.

Mary Emma McKenzie, in a solo dance, and Joseph Blocher and Edgar Bender, in an Oriental dance, are also featured.

Chorus include Dorothy McKenzie, Almira Hummel, Velma Stahl, Edna Carey, Mary Turner, Eleanor Wilburn, Ruthelene Curran, Louise Weimer, Lucy Brennaman, Marvete Folk, Alice Simpkins, Wanda Yommer, Ruth Weimer, Anna Mae Layman, Leona Miller, Phyllis Jenkins, Evelyn Broadwater, Audrey Buckel, Anna Lee Flanagan, Hazel Hoover and Mary McKenzie. Mrs. Evangeline Glenn is directing the performance, and Miss Jean Young is supervising the stage settings. Miss Ruth McMurray is in charge of the business arrangements. Miss Catherine Speicher, the make-up, and Mrs. Julius Renninger, the costumes. Lights and sound effects will be provided by Robert Davis, Joseph Blocher, and Edgar Bender.

The proceeds netted from this performance will be used for the benefit of the school library.

Rites for Mrs. Schaefer

Funeral rites for Mrs. Christina Leinsetter Schaefer, 83, were conducted this morning at the Grantsville Lutheran church by the Rev. C. P. Dauphin, pastor of the German Lutheran church at Accident, of which Mrs. Schaefer had long been a member.

Pallbearers were Ward Newman, J. R. Caney, Joel A. Beachy, J. Clarence Miller, Albert Swauger and Louis Klotz. Interment was in the Grantsville cemetery.

Mrs. Barbara Hare Rites

The Rev. Samuel D. Sigler, pastor, conducted funeral services this afternoon at the Grantsville Lutheran church for Mrs. Barbara Hare, lifelong resident of this community, who died Monday at the home of her son at Donora, Pa. He was assisted by the Rev. A. C. Curran, pastor of the Jennings Lutheran church, of which Mrs. Hare had been a member.

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Right of Martinsburg Strikers To Jobless Benefits Challenged

MARTINSBURG, W. Va., April 2

(P)—Counsel for the Interwoven Stocking Company challenged today the right of striking employees to claim jobless insurance as the total of applications filed by part of the 1,800 workers reached 300.

The statement contending the strikers were not entitled to unemployment compensation was issued by Attorney Lacy I. Rice and Herbert E. Hanna.

Union President Julian Caldwell defended demands for a "protective" union shop and in the same statement said the American Federation

Hyndman Pastors To Sponsor Union Holy Week Rites

Five Congregations Co-Operate in Series of Special Services

HYNDMAN, Pa., April 2.—The Hyndman ministerium has arranged a special program of union Holy Week services to begin Monday night and continue through Friday night.

Evening services will be held at 7:30 o'clock, with a Good Friday service lasting from noon until 3 p. m. The schedule follows:

Monday, Church of the Brethren, the Rev. Roscoe Wareham, pastor; Tuesday, Christian church, the Rev. Hiram N. Voorhis, minister; Wednesday, Evangelical church, the Rev. Clarence T. Miller in charge; Thursday, Methodist church, the Rev. Nobel B. Blackman, pastor; Lord's Supper to be commemorated; Friday, noon until 3 o'clock, special Passion service will be observed, with the seven sayings of the cross forming the central theme; Friday night, Reformed church, the Rev. George Raymond Winters in charge.

Registration of beginning children will be held April 17 and 18 between the hours of 3 and 5 p. m. at Beall elementary school. Principal Earl Brain requests that parents register their children so as to qualify them for enrollment in September. All children whose birthday falls January 1, 1942, or earlier are eligible.

Howard H. Deaner is laying new sidewalks adjacent to lots he purchased from the Cook Estate, upon which he is constructing a two-story bungalow. On the Church street side he is making the walk of cement, and on the Locust street side of bricks. The bricks will replace some rock-slabs that for years comprised the sidewalk at that point. John L. Shroyer is the contractor for building the house.

Mrs. Beuna V. Reese was hostess last night to the Ladies' Aid Society of the Reformed church. The president, Mrs. Charles Logue, led the devotions, after which a brief business session was held, followed by a covered-dish supper.

The Rev. and Mrs. George Raymond Winters announce the birth of a ten-pound son at Allegany hospital yesterday. The child has been named George Frederick.

Mrs. N. H. Burkett, Elmerest, was hostess to a neighborhood party at her home last night. Mrs. John Shroyer, Mrs. Paul Clites, Mrs. Robert Cook and Mrs. Edward Brown served as assistant hostesses. Refreshments were served, music enjoyed and games played. Others present included John L. Shroyer and daughters, Elizabeth, Claudine and Dorothy; Paul M. Clites; Montell Clites, Ellerslie; Miss Datha Shaffer, Edward Brown and daughter, Eleanor Rae; Robert Cook and daughter, Rose Marie; N. H. Burkett.

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Frostburg Elks Install Davis, Other Officers

Thomas G. Davis Succeeds W. W. Sluss Jr. as Exalted Ruler

FROSTBURG, April 2.—Charles M. Stump of Cumberland Elks Lodge No. 63 and Dr. Albert Cook had charge of the ceremony last evening attending the installation of officers of Frostburg Elks Lodge No. 470.

The new officers are Thomas G. Davis, exalted ruler; Richard Holben, leading knight; Robert Lemmer, loyal knight; Joseph Lyons, lecturing knight; U. B. F. Edwards, esquire; Joseph Condon, secretary; John L. Casey, treasurer; Clarence Rephann, chaplain; Chester Stewart, inner guard; J. W. Shea, tier; Wendell Plummer, organist; William Lemmer, Maxwell Mathias and William Jeffries, trustees.

Committees appointed by the exalted ruler are: Board of governors, John L. Casey, chairman; Samuel T. Walker, Rudolph Mendelsohn, U. B. F. Edwards, John Keller and John Durst; lapation, Chester Stewart, Richard Holben and John Durst; visiting, James S. Davis and E. A. Reppert; judiciary, Noel Speir Cook and Milton Gerson; entertainment, John Durst, Frank R. Keene, U. B. F. Edwards, Joseph Montana and Richard Green; social sessions, Earl Weis-hour, Joseph Montana, Frank Ruffo, Clarence Rephann, Richard Gerson and Joseph James; relief, A. Charles Stewart, U. B. F. Edwards, Dr. W. O. McLane, cive, Samuel Walker and Calvin A. Holben; publicity, Lloyd G. Griffith, chairman.

A telegram was sent to W. W. Sluss Jr., retiring exalted ruler and the first member of the lodge to be conscripted, congratulating him on his splendid record of the past year. The business meeting was followed by a social hour and a buffet luncheon.

Frostburg Briefs

The Ladies Guild of St. Paul's Lutheran church will hold a special Lenten service Monday evening with Mrs. Arch Davis, president, presiding. The Little Theater group of State Teachers college, in charge of Miss Margaret LaFar, will present a religious drama appropriate to Holy Week, and sacred music will be presented by a chorus from Beall elementary school under the direction of Miss Doris Metger. There will be a short devotional service. The public is invited.

Registration of beginning children will be held April 17 and 18 between the hours of 3 and 5 p. m. at Beall elementary school. Principal Earl Brain requests that parents register their children so as to qualify them for enrollment in September. All children whose birthday falls January 1, 1942, or earlier are eligible.

The Van Dyke Bible class of First Methodist church will meet tomorrow (Thursday) evening at 7:30 o'clock at the home of Miss Margaret Hosken, Depot street.

Calanthe Temple No. 3, Pythian Sisters, will hold a special meeting Friday evening at Moose hall, East Main street.

A Greek relief campaign, sponsored by the motion picture industry with Mrs. William Spates as local chairman, is being conducted here to raise funds to aid war victims in Greece. A short picture showing the havoc rendered by the war in Greece is being projected nightly at the Palace theater, and uniformed girls in the lobby are receiving contributions.

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Gilmore Draftee Feted at Party

GILMORE, April 2.—A farewell party was held Monday night at the White Way Inn, near Lonaconing, for Edward Barbour, of Gilmore, who will leave April 7 for a year's training in the army.

A travel kit was presented to Mr. Barbour by his friends.

Guests were Chester Foote, Samuel Smith, Alex Patton, Thomas Arnold, Allen Abbott, William Abbott, Walter Abbott, William Marshall, Robert Moses, Robert Hamilton, Robert Peebles, Thomas Peebles, David Culbertson, Robert L. Glenn, George Staup, Wilbur Waddell, Wilson Hamilton, Matthew Martin, William Stevens, William Rankin, Roy Davis, James Boyd, Ralph Nell, Charles Schramm, John Bond and William Kroll.

Gilmore Personals

Miss Shirley Morton, Knapps Meadow, is seriously ill of pneumonia.

Miss Charlotte Barbour, who has been ill of pneumonia, is slightly improved.

Miss Carrie Beeman suffered a broken collar bone in an automobile accident Sunday night.

William Brodie, Pulaski, Va., is visiting his wife and children.

EXPULSED FROM ROME



Mrs. Cecil Brown of Columbus, O., expelled from Rome with her husband, a news broadcaster, arrives at New York with an account of a near-revolution led by Marshal Badoglio. The coup failed, she said, when Mussolini ordered scores of leading Fascists to immediate front-line service.

Grant To Furnish Nineteen Men In April Draft

Five Volunteers among Group To Be Sent to Clarksburg April 21

PETERSBURG, W. Va., April 2.—Grant county's draft quota for April is nineteen, and the men will leave April 21 by special bus for Keyser, where they will board a special train to Clarksburg for final physical examinations.

The local board has five volunteers waiting, and any who volunteer before April 7 and pass examinations will be taken in the April call. The five volunteers are James Hill and Paul Allen, Petersburg; James Sites, Maysville; James Nesselrodt, Gorman; and Walter Rotruck, Martin. Others scheduled to go are Rollin Cosner, Bismark; Fred Kenner, Cabins; Robert Kessel, Scherr; Emory Shillburg, Gorman; Roswell Alt and Frank Sites, Petersburg; Olive Heavener, Cabins; Milburn Root, Gorman; Herman McDonald, Maysville; and George M. Brook, Gorman.

C. L. Judy Rites

Funeral services were held yesterday for Carl Lester Judy, 18, who died at his home Sunday after a short illness. Burial was in the Elk-horn cemetery near Rough Run.

The youth was a son of Mrs. Hattie Reel Judy, Rough Run, and the late Jesse J. Judy.

Divorce Granted

Mrs. Mary Alice Shobe was granted an absolute divorce from James Hill yesterday in circuit court here by Judge Robert McV Drane on grounds of desertion. The couple was married at Cumberland May, 1937. The defendant did not appear and was not represented by counsel. Mrs. Hill was represented by B. F. Mitchell, attorney, and she was allowed to resume her maiden name of Mary Alice Shobe.

Petersburg Personals

Mrs. S. C. Harman has moved from her home on North Main street to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Eston G. Harman, where she will reside. Mrs. W. R. Sollars has rented the property vacated by Mrs. S. G. Harman.

Lester Weese and John Cook, Morgantown, are visiting relatives here.

O. B. Harman, Baltimore, was here today.

Mrs. H. S. Judy will entertain at three tables of bridge at her home on North Main street Thursday evening.

W. E. Harman, who formerly operated a store in South Petersburg, is remodeling his store building and installing a gasoline service station.

The Women's Missionary Society of the United Brethren church will hold its monthly meeting at the home of Mrs. George Hott Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock.

W. Va. Grade School Principals To Meet

BECKLEY, W. Va., April 2.—More than 800 grade school principals are expected to register tomorrow for the annual meeting of the West Virginia Elementary School Principals Association.

The first session will be held tomorrow afternoon, with meetings continuing for three days.

A tour of the coal fields is one of the features on the program, which will include round-table discussions and an address by James E. Green, secretary of the New York City Chamber of Commerce.

Junior Red Cross of Mt. Savage Plans Bundles for Britain Unit

Organization To Be Formed Soon; Epworth League Plans Minstrel

MT. SAVAGE, April 2.—Plans for the formation of a Bundles for Britain unit were made at a meeting of the Junior Auxiliary of the Red Cross last night at the home of Miss Catherine O'Rourke. It was decided that all available information on the forming of such a unit would be read at the next meeting and definite arrangements made.

New members will be initiated into the organization during the last week in April. The names of these members must be submitted to the executive committee before the initiation. Knitting classes under the direction of veteran members of the Red Cross will be held in the community building beginning the week after Easter.

Misses Peggie and Dorothea Poland will entertain the group Wednesday evening, April 16, at the home of their parents, Mr. and Mrs. Harry Poland.

Minstrel Planned

A minstrel show will be presented early in May under the sponsorship of the Epworth League. It was decided at a meeting of the organization last night at the home of Miss Rosalyn Twigg.

The entire script of the show will be original, and the committee in charge consists of Miss Margaret Holinger, Louis Haus, Miss Virginia Lancaster, Howard Blank and Robert Kirby. Plans were also made for a roller skating party to be held later this month at Crystal Park. The Epworth League will join with the local organization as hosts at the affair.

Election of officers will be held at the next meeting May 7 in the recreation hall of the Methodist church.

After the business session, games were played and refreshments served. Miss Anita Twigg assisted her sister as hostess.

Eastern Star Meets

A mock initiation was the main attraction at the meeting of the Eastern Star in the Junior Order hall last night. Mrs. Anna Edmunds, Frostburg, grand deputy, lecturer of the organization, was guest speaker of the evening. Mrs. Edmunds' address dwelt chiefly on the work of the Eastern Star in public affairs.

After the business meeting refreshments were served. The next meeting will be held Tuesday evening, April 15, at 7:30 o'clock in the Junior Order hall.

Hi-Y Club Social

Miss Olive Martin, Miss Harriet Theodor and Miss Naomi Snyder entertained members of the Mt. Savage Hi-Y club last night at the home of Mrs. Ruth Barth.

Plans were completed for a treasure hunt to be held Friday evening.

The group will meet at 8:30 o'clock at the Methodist church corner. The committee in charge consists of Misses Peggie O'Rourke, Mary Elizabeth Sweeney and Virginia Lashley. After the hunt, the group will be entertained at the home of Miss Ruth Barth.

It was decided that the club will hold a mother's day tea in the high school auditorium, and Misses Elizabeth Sweeney, Virginia Lashley and Isabelle Adams were appointed to make arrangements for the affair. Miss Bettie Witte and Miss Mildred McKenzie will issue the invitations.

The next meeting will be held at the home of Miss Isabelle Adams and Miss Helen Scheibe will assist in entertaining.

Grass Fire Extinguished

The Mt. Savage Volunteer Fire Company will hold drill practice Monday evening at 7 o'clock under the supervision of Lieut. Anthony Monahan. It was decided last night at a meeting held in the Firemen's hall.

The fire company was called at 3:30 o'clock this afternoon to extinguish a brush fire on Calla Hill. The fire spread rapidly and had gotten out of control of the builder.

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Teacher Shortage in Elementary Field Forecast by College Head

FROSTBURG, April 2.—John L. Dunkle, president of State Teachers college, in reviewing the present situation at the college, indicated that there is serious danger of an acute shortage of teachers in the elementary field should the present war emergency extend over the next few years.

Inroads will be made among the men of the elementary teaching staff, he said, as a result of the defense program. He pointed out that there are many more men within the draft age in the elementary teaching service than formerly because of the recent return of men to this field.

President Dunkle recalled that

Plan To Resume Work at Widen Mine Abandoned

Reinforced Picket Line Moves in on Elk River Company Property

WIDEN, W. Va., April 2

(P)—Between "fifteen and thirty shots" were heard in the vicinity of the picket-closed Elk River Coal and Lumber Company mine tonight. Mine Superintendent H. B. Davies reported several hours after abandonment of plans to reopen the state's largest non-union-pit.

No one was hurt, and the source of the firing was undetermined, although Davies said "they probably came from both sides."

The mine official estimated that 400 United Mine Workers of America pickets were in the vicinity and that their ranks were to be reinforced by 200 more later tonight.

Davies said that he understood there was a "lot of drinking going on" and that Sheriff Abner Hamrick had sworn in eighteen deputies, several of whom carried guns, to prevent any further disorder.

The official added that no arrests had been made as a result of the gun-fire.

By LEE GARRETT

WIDEN, W. Va., April 2.—A reinforced picket line which moved in on company property resulted tonight in abandonment of plans to reopen one of the state's largest non-union mines, while most of West Virginia's coal fields waited quietly for something to happen in New York wage discussions.

It had been the apparent intention of the Elk River Coal and Lumber Company to resume operations tonight or in the morning, but late in the afternoon United Mine Workers pickets took up positions in front of the mine bath house.

Superintendent H. B. Davies said that "we will not open as long as the pickets are in possession of the bath house. We can't."

The union men mostly congregated in front of a board fence erected in front of the washhouse, to which miners must come to change clothing and enter the mine.

Scene Peaceful

Except for the picket line, however, the scene in this isolated community fifty miles north of Charleston was the same as in the rest of the state—no coal being mined and everything outwardly peaceful.

The state's 104,000 miners have joined 300,000 others in the eight-state Appalachian area in a lay-off until the union and operators get together on another wage contract.

Circuit Judge Jake Fisher of Sutton was at the courthouse today to swear in seventeen special deputies.

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CCC Youth Fined On Morals Count

KEYSER, W. Va., April 2.—Otis Nelson, of Keyser, 19-year old civilian conservation corps enrollee, today paid a \$25 fine in Justice of the Peace court here on a charge of contributing to the delinquency of a minor girl.

Nelson entered a plea of guilty this morning before Justice J. E. Aronhalt and paid his way out of jail at 2 o'clock this afternoon. He was arrested Friday by Mineral County Sheriff F. G. Davis at a CCC camp near Frederick, Md., and brought to the Mineral county jail here to await a hearing on a charge of rape, involving a 14-year old Potomac Heights girl.

Nelson was originally charged with rape, but at today's hearing the charge was reduced to "contributing to the delinquency of a minor."

The girl said Nelson assaulted her when she was returning home from a motion picture show on the night of February 1.

Local officers had been lying in wait for Nelson, ready to nab him on one of his visits to his home town. He was here last week-end, but evaded arrest. Sheriff Davis then went to Frederick and took him into custody. Nelson waived extradition.

Alternative to the \$20 fine was a thirty-day jail sentence.

Bridge Party

Mrs. Lottie Jones, Welch Hill, Frostburg, entertained at a bridge party last evening. Priced were won by Mrs. Alma McCormick, Frostburg. Mrs. Glenn Shelton and Mrs. Jessie Stevens, Midland. Other guests were Mrs. Sylvia Little, Mrs. Katherine Stevens, Mrs. Millicent Berry and Mrs. Aleida Wilson.

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Monongahela Farm Contest Deadline Extended 2 Weeks

Enrollments To Be Accepted until April 15, Tucker Agent Says

PARSONS, W. Va., April 2 — James L. Copeman, Fairmont, director of the "Farming for Better Living" project, announces that the deadline for enrollment in the project has been extended from April 1 to April 15.

A total enrollment of more than 200 farmers has been reached in the Upper Monongahela Valley area. Many farmers of Tucker county have enrolled in the project and others may continue to enroll until the April 15 deadline. Enrollment may be made by contacting the Tucker county agent, Arnett L. Kidd, at the court house here or by writing direct to James L. Copeman, Bethlehem building, Fairmont.

The Basic Dolomite company, with headquarters in Cleveland, O., has announced that it will award \$50 in cash to sweepstakes winners in the 1941 "Farming for Better Living" contest. Whether or not the money will be used as a single award or broken up into small prizes has not been determined.

The Clarksburg Exponent-Telegram has also announced a special award to the county extension office whose county has the highest number of enrollees and where the greatest percentage of those enrolled complete the project. Additional local prizes are expected to be worked out in at least three other counties while special activities aimed at promoting "Farming for Better Living" are planned in several others.

Most unique effort at enrollment is that employed in Upshur county by the Buckhannon Young Businessmen's Association, which has undertaken a sponsorship of the activity for 1941. Each member of the organization has agreed to secure at least one enrollee in the project and to "follow through" during the season to make sure that this enrollee completes his project work.

Marriage Announced

Announcement was made here today of the marriage of Miss Lucy Virginia Trimble, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. I. Trimble, Elkins, to Fred E. Swisher, Parsons, which was solemnized Sunday, March 30, at the Elderside Methodist church, Mt. Washington, Baltimore, Md.

The Rev. David L. Ennis, pastor, read the ring ceremony. The Rev. R. F. Bernitt, sister and brother-in-law of the groom, of Tacoma Park, Md., were the only attendants.

The bride wore a beige frock with saddle tan accessories, and her shoulder corsage was of tulle and roses and baby breath. She carried a small Bible which belonged to her great-grandmother.

Mrs. Bernitt wore a black tailored costume with white accessories. Following the ceremony a wedding dinner was served at Hausmann's in Baltimore.

Mrs. Swisher is a graduate of Elkins high school, class of 1934, and the commercial department of Davis and Elkins college.

The bridegroom is a son of Mr. and Mrs. Walter Swisher, of Quality Hill, Parsons. He is a graduate of Parsons high school and of the engineering school of Johns Hopkins university, and is employed as an electrical engineer by the Bethlehem Steel Corporation at Sparrows Point, Md.

Upon their return from a short honeymoon, Mr. and Mrs. Swisher will be at home in Dundalk, Md.

Junior Red Cross

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It burnt a circle of approximately 100 yards and was dangerously near

CHARACTER WITNESSES



Charles Chaplin (left), film comedian, and Irving Berlin, songwriter, appear at federal court, New York City, at income tax evasion trial of film magnate Joseph Schenck and film executive Joseph Moskowitz. Said Chaplin of Schenck: "I know his reputation for honesty and integrity." Said Berlin of Moskowitz: "He is held highly by all."

the residence of Norman Miller and the new church being erected in that section. However, firemen stopping the fire did not succeed in stopping the blaze before it could cause serious damage.

Mt. Savage Personals

Bradley Reynolds returned to Duke university, Durham, N. C., today after visiting his mother, Mrs. Emma Reynolds. Mr. Reynolds is a faculty member at the university.

Mrs. Charles Gallagher, who has been ill at her home for the past several weeks, was taken to Allegheny hospital this afternoon.

Miss Anita Twigg, student at Western Maryland college, is spending spring vacation with her parents.

Frostburg Elks

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the donations. The girls are members of Wild Rose Girl Scout troop

Frostburg Personals

Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Jones and Mrs. Arthur Byers returned to Pittsburgh, after spending several days with Mrs. Elmer S. Kight, Bowery street. They were accompanied here by Mrs. Cora Griffith, who had been visiting in Pittsburgh.

Rance Skidmore is a patient at Miners hospital. Mr. and Mrs. William S. Jenkins returned from Miami, Fla., where they visited Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Jenkins.

Harry Pinzel, who resides with his sister, Mrs. Anthony Caton, Broadway, is recovering at the Marine hospital, Baltimore, where he has been a patient for two months.

Mrs. William Kemp, Borden Mines, is a patient at Miners hospital. Mrs. Charles T. Odgers, East Loo street, underwent a major operation Monday at Miners hospital.

Hyndman

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kett and daughter, Dorothy, and sons, Ernest and Howard.

Hyndman Personals

Clyde Stuby has returned from Uniontown, having been called back to work at Montgomery Ward's plumbing department, Cumberland.

Isaac Hite, who was stricken a few days ago while on duty as B&O crossing watchman, is now back on the job.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark were called to Hagerstown, Md., yesterday on account of the serious illness of the former's mother, Mrs. Ruby Clark.

Robert Miller Jr. is home from the Petersburg (Pa.) CCC camp.

Elizabeth White To Become Bride Of Dr. Whitworth

Westernport Man To Marry at Washington, Va., Church April 19

WESTERNPORT, April 2 — Mr. and Mrs. Charles Henry White announce the engagement of their daughter, Elizabeth Carter, to Dr. Frank Dixon Whitworth, son of Mr. and Mrs. Horace P. Whitworth Sr., Westernport.

The wedding will take place Saturday, April 19, at Trinity Episcopal church, Washington, Va.

Defense Classes

The board of education announces that tomorrow (Thursday), from 6:30 to 9 p. m., registration for defense program classes will be held at Bruce high school for all out-of-school youths between the ages of 17 and 26.

The courses to be offered are blueprint reading with estimating, woodwork and electrical construction. Classes will be held five nights a week.

Mrs. Melvin Jackson Dies

Mrs. Sadie Gilmore Jackson, colored, 48, wife of Melvin Jackson, 21 Paxton street, Piedmont, died early this morning at Potomac Valley hospital, Keyser, where she underwent an operation Tuesday.

She was a daughter of Mrs. Magie Gaiter, Petersburg, W. Va., and the late Andrew Gaiter. She was a native of Petersburg but had lived here twenty-five years.

Surviving, besides her husband, are two children; Mrs. Margaret White, Bellevue, Pa., and Evers Gilmore, Piedmont, and five sisters, Mrs. Verna Gilmore, Mrs. Virginia Redman, Mrs. Annie Addison and Mrs. Lucetta Stoner, Petersburg, W. Va., and Mrs. Rosella Martinez, Frostburg.

She will be buried at Petersburg.

Rites for Mrs. Summer

Funeral services for Mrs. Mildred Summer, 46, wife of Joseph P. Summer, McMullen highway near Dawson, who died Sunday, were conducted this morning at St. Peter's Catholic church, Westernport, with a Requiem High Mass, the Rev. Stephen Chylinski was the celebrant. Interment was in St. Peter's cemetery.

Pailbearers were John Thomas, Clifton Clark, Leo Vance, Earl Kallough, William Vance and Ira Lease.

Tri-Towns Personals

J. L. Shay, Westernport, entertained the Men's Bible class of

SCOTT'S SCRAP BOOK

By R. J. SCOTT



Rural Electrification To Be Discussed

JACKSON'S MILL, W. Va., April 2 (AP) — The economics of rural electrification will be discussed April 28-29 at the fifth annual West Virginia rural electrification conference, officials announced today. Approximately 200 agricultural extension workers, utility representatives and farmers are expected to attend.

The State Rural Electrification committee, which is sponsoring the conference, will meet before the general conference sessions. George W. Kable of New York, editor of the magazine "Electricity on the Farm," will speak at the annual banquet.

Grantsville High

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long been a member. Six nephews served as pailbearers, Herman Meyers, Ira Yaste, Emmons Meyers, Harry Yommer, Alvin Yommer and Olen Meyers. Interment was in the Grantsville cemetery.

Drivers Jailed

Two men yesterday were committed to the county jail in default of fines by Trial Magistrate Charles S. Zeller.

Loman Wilt, Jennings, who was arrested near here Sunday by State Trooper Carl G. Storm for driving while under the influence of liquor and reckless driving, was found guilty of both charges and fined \$102 and costs. He was committed to jail for 102 days in default of payment.

Raymond Hollada was committed to jail for sixteen days when he was unable to pay a fine of \$15 and costs. Trooper Storm, who made the arrest, charged him with using markers issued for another machine and operating without a title. Hollada pleaded guilty to the charges.

Abraham Thomas, Salisbury, Pa., was released upon payment of a \$5 fine and costs when he pleaded guilty to charges of passing another vehicle when the way ahead was not clear. He was arrested by Officer Storm on Savage Mountain, Route 40.

Grantsville Briefs

Mrs. John Zehner and Mrs. Nettie Bill jointly entertained members of the Lutheran Missionary Society in the social room of the church last evening. Mrs. Ralph Gloffey served as leader. The lesson subject, "Christus Victor," was in keeping with an Easter program. Mrs. C. U. Edwards will entertain the society at the church at the next meeting, when Miss Iva Klotz will lead the lesson discussion.

Mrs. John Baum and Mrs. Harold Baum jointly entertained members of the Mars Hill Homemakers club at their home near here yesterday afternoon. Miss Mildred Barton, county demonstration agent, concluded a discussion of preparing the family food supply budget. She also included in her demonstration various patterns and materials for clothing which will be the subject for the meetings during this quarter.

The pennant for the class at school having the best attendance average during the month went to the sixth grade. Its average for March was 95.12 per cent. The sophomore 2A section was second with 93.4 per cent and the juniors third with 92.4 per cent.

Grantsville Personals

Mr. and Mrs. Homer C. Butler announce the birth of a daughter at their home near here last night. The baby weighed eight pounds.

Mr. and Mrs. Harry C. Edwards went to Keyser, W. Va., last night to visit Mrs. Oscar Simpson.

Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Gortner went to Pittsburgh today for a short stay. Mr. and Mrs. William Maras, Ralph Hare and Lester Hare, Donora, Pa., and Mr. and Mrs. Webster Hoover, Accident, arrived yesterday to attend the funeral of their mother, Mrs. Barbara Hare.

Cresaptown Youth Feted on Birthday

CRESAPTOWN, April 2 — Mr. and Mrs. LeRoy Grant entertained Monday night at a surprise birthday party in honor of their son, James, on his sixteenth birthday. Guests included Dora Lewis, Luedell Sherman, Wanda Arnold, Beverly Hershberger, Alice Lewis, Dorcas Lewis, Bobby Hershberger, Dorcas Kammauf, Genevieve Weaver, Helen Lewis, Bill Todd, Charles Glover, Gladys Frankenberg, Junior Sindy, James Glover, Georgeanna Shank, Emma Stagg, Betty Smith, Betty McCusker, Marilyn Grant, Marshall Bradley VanMeter, Elwood Cecil, Naomi Grant and Walter Cecil.

Cresaptown Briefs

The fifth annual Rawlings Charge Young People's banquet will be held April 29 in the Cresaptown social hall. The Rev. W. W. Patterson, organizer of the group, who is now stationed at Baltimore, will be guest speaker. Election of officers will take place.

"The Uplifted Cross," an Easter pageant will be presented April 13 in the Cresaptown Methodist church. It is being directed by Mrs. Edward Lewis and Dora Lewis. Those taking part will be Luedell Sherman, Kathryn Rohyer, Dorothy McDonald, Vivian Kammauf, Marilyn Grant, Dorcas Lewis, Emma Stagg, Esther Smith, Betty McCusker, Alice Lewis, Peggy Burrell, Helen Lewis, Edna Lafferty and Betty Lewis.

Cresaptown Personals

Mrs. J. T. Allen, Petersburg, W. Va., visited her sister Mrs. Ezra Raley, who recently returned from Memorial hospital.

Mrs. Bertha McRobie and Mr. and Mrs. Charles Welch and son, Kitzmiller, visited Mr. and Mrs. Brace Hutson.

H. D. Hosier, Petersburg, Va., spent the week-end here with his family.

The Epworth League will meet Saturday at 7:30 p. m. at the home of Lester and Luedell Sherman.

The Ladies Golden Rule Bible class met last night at the home of Mrs. G. M. VanMeter with Mr. W. O. Winters and Mr. William Meagher as assisting hostesses.

Esther Smith is spending the week in Cumberland.

G. M. Hollenback, H. P. Hollenback, Louis and Jack Quattro and Paul Bolix, Houston, Pa., spend the week-end with Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kane.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Hosier and family visited in Winchester Sunday.

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Mt. Savage Native Feted at Tunnelton

TUNNELTON, W. Va., April 2 — Mrs. Diana Reidler, who celebrated her eightieth birthday Wednesday, was honor guest at a dinner and reception Sunday at the Reidler home near Tunnelton.

The affair, which was a surprise to Mrs. Reidler, was arranged by members of her family. The rooms were decorated with lovely spring flowers and greenery. Dinner was served buffet style, and centering the serving table was a tiered cake decorated in pink and white and with the numeral eighty on it. During the afternoon Miss Mary Lou Dunn of Frostburg, Md., a granddaughter of the honor guest, sang.

Mrs. Reidler was born March 26, 1861, at Mt. Savage, Md., a daughter of Peter and Christina Klein Schultz, who were early settlers from Germany. In 1881, she was married to Clement Reidler of Frostburg, Md., who died thirty years ago. To this union were born eight children, six of whom are living and were present Sunday as follows: Clarence E. Pittsburgh;

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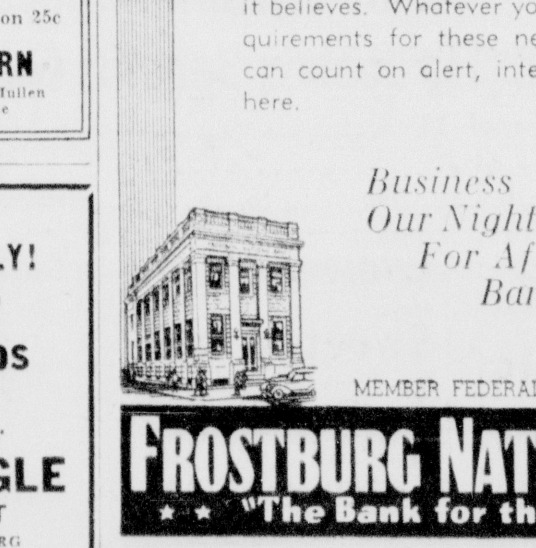
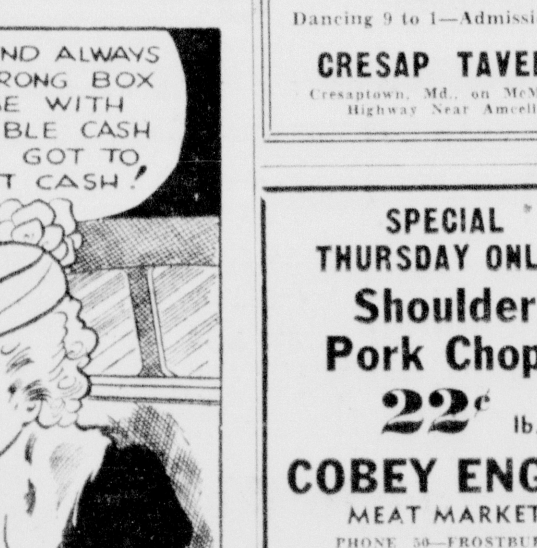
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John F. Friend Sr. Dies at Age of 96

OAKLAND, April 2.—Funeral services were conducted yesterday afternoon for John F. Friend Sr., of Sang Run, who died at his home Saturday.

Mr. Friend was thought to have been Garrett county's oldest resident after the recent death of George Marley. He was aged 96 years, 4 months and 11 days. He had been in failing health during the winter months but was ill only a few days.

Services were conducted at the Sang Run church by the Rev. S. E. Ryan, Methodist minister of Brandywine, W. Va., assisted by the Rev. R. L. Greynolds, of Friendsville, and the Rev. J. H. Taylor, of Cranesville. Interment was in the family cemetery on the farm.

Mr. Friend was born in Sang Run November 18, 1844, a son of the late Elijah and Elizabeth Smith Friend. He spent his entire lifetime in that community as a farmer. In 1871 he married Rachel Ross Friend, who died in 1919.

Surviving are five sons, John P. Jr., Alfred, Charles and Andrew Friend, all of Sang Run, and Elijah J. Friend, of Oakland; a daughter, Miss Dicie Friend, of Sang Run; four grandchildren and four great-grandchildren.

Axis Powers

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will fly no flags while they are in custody, the coast guard ordered, but Danish ships on which skeleton crews are being permitted to remain may fly the Danish flag when Danish officers are aboard.

Although no explanation was given for the orders, officials said the ships still belong to their foreign owners pending any forfeiture proceedings that may be taken later.

There was every indication that the new Axis protests would only delay rather than change the American answers rejecting them entirely.

Germans Indicted
Amid these developments in the capital, a federal grand jury at Boston indicted Captain Ernst R. Heitzmann, four officers and five members of the crew of the German tanker Pauline Friedrich on charges of sabotage.

The men, held at the Boston immigration station since they were taken off their vessel during the wide-spread week-end seizures of Axis merchantmen, will be placed in custody of the United States marshal pending their arraignment. United States Attorney Edmund J. Brandon said.

Conviction of the sabotage charge, \$10,000 fine, ten years in prison or carries a maximum penalty of a both.

The indictments came swiftly after Attorney General Robert H. Jackson yesterday ordered prosecution of German or Italian seamen who damaged or attempted to damage their ships.

"Most Urgent" Protest
The German note made public today protested "most urgently" against the measures taken by the United States, saying that they were "in particular a clear violation of the treaty of friendship, commerce and consular rights of Dec. 8, 1923, existing between Germany and the United States."

The note asked that the government take these steps:

"1. Place the tanker Pauline Friedrich and the motorship Arauca again at the free and unrestricted disposal of the rightful owners, i. e., to rescind the occupation and custody and restore the unrestricted authority of the captains over the ships.

"2. Immediately to release the crews of the two vessels and to make possible their return and stay on board their ships.

"3. To remove the American flag hoisted on the motorship Arauca and unreservedly restore to the ships the right recognized under international law and

affirmed by treaty to fly the flag of their country."

Will Reject Requests

Secretary of State Hull indicated clearly that the government's answer to the protests would be rejection. In response to a question, he said he had not heard any suggestion in government quarters that the ships be released or that the government's stand be modified in any way.

Instead, it was learned that government agencies investigating sabotage of some of the Axis ships were seeking to determine whether any Axis officials in this country were involved.

If evidence were found that orders for the sabotage came from any Axis diplomatic or military officials here, officials said their governments might be asked to recall them or the officials might be handed their passports and ordered summarily to leave.

Congress

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House to the OPM and other federal agencies concerned.

Senator Byrd (D-Va.) demanded, that the government act "with firmness" to reopen the plant, termed Secretary Perkins "exceedingly derelict in the performance of his duty in refusing to certify" the case to the Mediation Board for action and telegraphed her for "a full and complete explanation."

Smith declared that the strike was called by a union "dictator" who "stuffed the ballot box," that "the Dies committee has given you an indubitable proof of the long, red, communist record of the leader and dictator of that union, and still we have done nothing about it."

"Red Insurrection" Prevails
"So this morning at the Allis-Chalmers strike, Red insurrection and rebellion prevail," he continued. "You can call it by any other name you want but that is what it is. x x x"

"What do we find at the Ford factory? We find the old technique of the sit-down strike. What is the sit-down strike? Call it what you will, it is anarchy."

"The Ford Company said the strike started as a sit-down but the union said that workers were kept inside the plant last night by the Ford service department."

Rep. Dondero (R-Mich.) also criticized the Ford strike as "a notable victory" for Adolf Hitler and said that the dictators should celebrate "what they have achieved in this country without bombers, without parachutists and without panzer divisions."

Defense Program Sabotaged
"The time for pussyfooting is past," protested Rep. Cox (D-Ga.). "The defense program is being sabotaged. We have come to the point where the president himself should stand up and take a firm position."

Chairman Sumners (D-Tex.) of the Judiciary committee observed, however, that the solution "has got to come up from the people and the states have got to get in the game."

Senators Connally (D-Tex.) and Overton (D-La.) were others who demanded legislation. Connally said that the president should be authorized to take over any strike-bound defense plant and Overton said he would be "willing to go further" and curb interference with workers by pickets.

Japan Is

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with all its formidable means on and over the vast world scene on which it is capable of extending its influence."

He added: "One fact is truly confirmed. The three powers of the tripartite pact, conscious of the solidarity of their destinies x x x associate their plans and means to face any view of intervention, whatever its form, under whatever alibi it attempts to hide."

An anticipated talk between Mussolini and Matsuoaka at Palazzo Venezia late this afternoon did not take place, authoritative sources indicating that a long after-lunch chat was substituted.

Declares Miners

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In the afternoon, following the recess called at the end of a morning session, Charles O'Neill, a credited spokesman for the operators and one of their negotiators said:

Promises Short Suspension
"We assure the public at this hour that the suspension will be of short duration. An agreement will be achieved and the mines will very shortly reopen."

At that time, the forty-eight-hour period within which Dr. John R. Steelman, director of the United States Conciliation Service, had said there would be at least a temporary agreement was almost at the half-way mark.

Lewis addressed the delegates representing 100,000 hard coal miners in the rich eastern Pennsylvania fields after they elected him chairman of their convention in which they will form a union program for negotiation next week of contract to replace one expiring April 30.

He told the cheering delegates that "the country stands against the possibility of the coal supply being curtailed," and declared that "we assert before the country that we are not responsible for that situation."

Sees Anthracite Crisis
The bituminous coal miners, he said, "have been compelled to remain from work today" because "they have no jobs" and said that when the anthracite miners' contract expired they too might face the same situation.

As a result of the predicted price advance, he said, there would necessarily have to be a wage increase, not only for coal miners, but "for all Americans who serve industry and earn their bread by the sweat of their brow."

He declared that southern con-

gressmen—"labor's enemies"—had proposed in Congress a measure to take away the workers' right to strike in defense industries and asserted that "the time is not here yet and methinks it will not come in America when an act of Congress can make indentured servants out of 45,000,000 American workers."

Any political party that would permit such legislation, Lewis added, would "be swept from power by an outraged vote."

Scores Rep. Sumners
Pounding a desk with his fist, Lewis told the miners that Rep. Atton Sumners (D-Tex.) whom he called a "small-time, small-town lawyer," had told Congress that strikers in defense industries should be electrocuted.

"They would have to electrocute tomorrow 400,000 bituminous coal miners and perhaps on the first of May they would have to electrocute 120,000 anthracite miners," Lewis added, "and if I know anything about the miners, I would say, 'oh boy, what a job.'"

Concerning the freezing of bituminous coal prices, Henderson said in Washington that the action was taken after consultation and in co-operation with the interior department's bituminous coal division.

The order Henderson issued gave no authority for the action but it said that in the event of refusal to abide by the price limitations the defense commission would:

"Make every effort to assure (a) that Congress, the various federal, state and local agencies and committees, including defense organizations and the public are fully informed of the instances of such profiteering or non-cooperation; and (b) that the powers of the government are fully exerted in order to protect the public interest in the maintenance of fair prices."

Senator Bone (D-Wash.) chairman of a sub-committee considering

a two-year extension of the bituminous coal regulation act, said he believed the basis for the order was "moral suasion and force of public opinion."

Beaten Italians

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maunder of East Africa before the rains come, the British announced at Khartoum, Anglo-Egyptian Sudan, that their advance on Asmara, the Eritrean capital, was met Tuesday by Italian emissaries bearing a white flag.

The Italians said resistance had ceased and asked that Asmara be considered an open town, the communiqué said, adding:

"It is not known yet whether the order to cease fire refers only to Asmara or to the whole of Eritrea." Thus, without opposition from the so-called "impregnable" fort Baldissera, the British took over a city of nearly 100,000 population, half Italians.

The Fascist troops who withdrew there and the survivors of the bitter battle of Cheren — 40,000 in all — were said to have fled south and southwest.

Final Surrender Predicted
A communique here said it was believed that the Italians still held the Red Sea port of Massaua, seventy-five miles by rail northeast of Asmara, but military sources predicted Massaua itself would surrender at any minute. This would wipe out the last large Italian center in Italy's oldest colony, the 45,000-square miles of Eritrea, where she gained her first foothold in 1870.

British columns already are thrusting in from captured Direcawa toward Addis Ababa. The South African air force announced wide-spread bombing and machine-gunning of Italian positions in southern Ethiopia, leading to Italian surrender at Soroppa, north of Yavello.

The British command meanwhile acknowledged increased Axis pres-

Bobo Knocks Roy Out in First

BALTIMORE, April 2 (P)—Harry Bobo, 200-pound Pittsburgh negro, won on a technical knockout from Armand Roy, 196, of New Hampshire, in the first round of their scheduled ten-round bout here tonight.

Bobo gave Roy an artistic lacing for three minutes, and floored the New Englander at the bell with a hard right smash to the head. Dragged to his corner, Roy failed to come out for the second round. King Kong, 187, Baltimore, won a split decision from Bob Smith, 183, Pittsburgh, in six rounds.

Dodgers Win 6 to 4

FORT WORTH, Tex., April 2 (P)—Joe Medwick and Curt Davis sparked the Brooklyn Dodgers to a 6 to 4 triumph today over the Fort Worth Cats of the Texas League.

Medwick hit successive home runs over the 20-foot wall in left field, 400 feet from the plate and added a single for good measure.

Wyatt Goes Route

VALDOSTA, Ga., April 2 (P)—Whitlow Wyatt, counted upon as one of the mainstays of Brooklyn's pitching staff this year and the first hurler to go the route in spring training, shutout Valdosta of the Georgia-Florida league 3 to 0 on three hits today for the Dodgers' second stringers.

sure in Libya, announcing withdrawal of British advance forces northeast of Mersa Brega in the face of a German-Italian "reconnaissance in force."

Mersa Brega is thirty miles northeast of El Agheila, the limit of the British advance of last winter. The British described the operations there as a feeling-out process.

Plan To Resume

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utes appointed by Clay County Sheriff Abner Hamrick.

Hamrick and the deputies came to Widen late in the afternoon to stand by, but there was no disturbance.

The Widen mine had one shift of its men on the job last night, but at 3 a. m. officials directed day men not to report. The pickets remained in the vicinity, however, to see whether the 4 p. m. group would go to work.

Pickets Stand By
There was no activity about the mine at that hour but some of the 200 pickets led by Nick Aiello, UMW representative, stood by Aiello, who said the pickets had been asked to come to Widen by some UMW members who work there, added that "as long as these men here want us to stay, we will be here."

He also intimated that pickets would be withdrawn if the company would agree to sign a supplemental contract after end of the New York negotiations embodying the provisions of the UMW agreement.

In other sections of West Virginia, there was no picketing, and the shutdown was virtually complete. Only a few "wagon" mines

some of them in Mason county, were reported bringing out their small tonnage.

"Captive" mines of the U. S. Coal and Coke Company in McDowell county, of Bethlehem mines in Marion and Preston counties and of Youngstown Sheet and Tube in Logan county all were closed.

Hardy Man Is Held In Ax Assault
MOOREFIELD, W. Va., April 2.—State Trooper O. G. Webby and Town Sergeant Ted Sager arrested Davis Nazeled, Peru, Saturday night on a charge of malicious assault and intent to kill Nazeled was released Monday under \$500 bond for his appearance at the June term of circuit court.

Nazeled is charged with assaulting W. G. Mongold, owner of the general store at Jeru, with a double-bladed ax, inflicting a gash in Mongold's shoulder and hip. Mongold was treated by Dr. O. V. Brooks.

The alleged attack grew out of an altercation between the two men over some sheep which had been killed.

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Honeymoon Gold

by PEGGY DERN

SYNOPSIS
TOM FORMAN, husky, young, but out of luck, prevents Betsy from committing suicide by drowning at a southern beach. When he tells her that he must be married to get a job as caretaker of Halycon Island, owned by JORDAN MARKHAM, a wealthy invalid, she agrees to become his wife. Tom takes her to introduce her to Markham.

CHAPTER FOUR
BURTON LED Betsy upstairs, shortly after her narrow escape from drowning.

A stout, comfortable looking woman in a neat black taffeta dress, a narrow white collar buttoned beneath her plump chin, sat at a small table playing solitaire. She looked up and over her glasses as Burton said, "The lady happened to an accident, Martha. The master thought you might find something dry to wear while she's having her dinner."

"Well, of course I can. Come in, ma'am," said Mrs. Burton hospitably and shook Burton away. "Now, you get those wet things right off, while I see what I can find for you. It's certain you can't wear anything of mine, isn't it?" she laughed cheerfully as she went out.

When she came back she was carrying over her arm a velvet tea gown sufficiently like the present-day hostess gowns not to be too quaint. Its color was a deep rose, and the wide sleeves were made of heavy silver lace; there was a silver cord that could be knotted about the waist, so that the garment suggested that it might be made to fit; there were silver brocade boudoir slippers as well, and underthings that were fragile as cobwebs, soft and smelling faintly of lavender.

"One of Mr. Markham's house-guests left it behind after a visit some years ago," Mrs. Burton explained, as she helped Betsy to change into the velvet garment.

Betsy's eyes widened a little as she caught a glimpse of herself in the mirror. With her sooty black hair curling in damp ringlets about her face, her slim body clad in the very becoming rose velvet, she was almost lovely! And the knowledge lifted her spirits enormously.

Mrs. Burton led her back to the library, saying cheerfully, "And while you're having dinner, miss, I'll get your own clothes pressed and fixed for you."

Tom stood up when Betsy came in almost startled. And Mr. Markham, catching the look in Tom's eyes, nodded as though in satisfaction. But before anything more than casual words could be exchanged, Burton had announced dinner.

Betsy looked about the big room, the small, round table set for three in the middle of it, a great silver bowl of roses on the lace cloth, delicate china, exquisite crystal and silver shimmering in the light from tall white candles. And little more than an hour ago she had been on the verge of suicide, starving, friendless, sick with horror! It didn't seem possible that she could be here now, in this beautiful room, surrounded by luxury and comfort, wearing a velvet gown and about to dine extravagantly and beautifully!

Burton and an attendant footman served the delicious meal, and it was a most ceremonious affair. At least it seemed ceremonious to the wide-eyed, enchanted Betsy, who listened hazily to Tom's and Mr. Markham's conversation, devoted chiefly to politics, the foreign situation and such.

Nothing was said to indicate the nature of the job about which she and Tom had come to see Mr. Markham, until after dinner was over and the three of them were back in the library.

Mr. Markham had offered Betsy a cigarette, and Betsy had smiled shyly and shook her head. "An expensive habit I've never been able to afford to acquire," she admitted with a sturdy honesty that quickened his interest in her. He smiled in approval.

Tom accepted the cigar Mr. Markham offered to him, and when the two cigars were burning cheer-



Mrs. Burton came back with a velvet tea gown over her arm.

fully, Mr. Markham looked from one to the other of the eager young faces turned toward him.

"And now of course you want to know more about this mysterious job I have for you," he said, smiling, though there was a shadow at the back of his eyes to which the smile did not quite reach. "Well, I don't blame you—although it's not nearly as mysterious as it sounds. I simply want you to act as caretaker for an island development I am planning."

"But—why did you insist on having a married couple? Why couldn't just a man have been sufficient?" demanded Betsy, her heart sinking as she discovered the prosaic quality of the job.

Mr. Markham studied the glowing tip of his cigar for a moment. It seemed to Betsy that there was a tautness about his mouth as he answered her almost sternly. "Because the island development is for the benefit of honeymoon couples—and there must be a hostess, as well as a host, there to greet them."

Betsy and Tom exchanged swift, puzzled glances. "The island has belonged to me for a good many years—25 or more," Mr. Markham explained. "I bought it with the thought that it would make a beautiful winter home, and I meant it as a gift for the girl I was to marry. It seemed to me the most idyllic spot imaginable for a honeymoon. I'd waited rather a long time to marry. I wanted to have money enough to guarantee my wife every possible luxury. Neither of us had ever had more than just barely enough money to pay for the actual necessities of life. I'd seen so much of poverty and drudgery. I'd seen men and women mired in love and trying to scrape along on 'barely enough,' while the quality of their love grew strained and saddened by their hardships—I wanted something better than that for MY wife. So we waited. We met and fell in love when I was 24 and she was 19. Life to us was a pretty wonderful thing. She wanted to marry me and to help me build, but I wanted to lay the world at her feet first! And I was 35 before I felt that I could offer her the things I wanted her to have."

He was still for a moment, living in the past, and Betsy and Tom

were quiet, held with him in that momentary grip of silence in which he mentally trod the road to the past.

"I bought and paid for the island," he said, after a tense moment of stillness. "The plans for our home had been approved by Nancy. The house was to be finished and ready for us when we returned from a story book honeymoon cruise aboard my yacht."

Again he was still, and they saw the white line that etched itself about his mouth. The silence this time lasted longer. He looked up at last, from Tom's concerned, interested face to Betsy's.

"Nancy was killed in an automobile crash on her way to the church for our wedding." He brought the words out as though each one must be torn loose separately, with a rending moment of agony.

Betsy cried out, a little stricken cry of deep pity; Tom said something in an undertone that expressed his thoughts; Mr. Markham smiled at them, a smile that was little more than a grimace.

"So you see, I have a great anxiety to feel that at least some few people should know the happiness Nancy and I might have had on Halycon Island," said Mr. Markham after a long moment. "I've had plans drawn up. The house that Nancy and I planned is to be built. Surrounding it will be six small cottages, far enough apart to give the privacy that all honeymooning couples want, yet close enough so that they need not feel isolated. It is my plan that six honeymooning couples be selected to come to the island for periods of 30 days; you, as host and hostess, will occupy the house that Nancy and I planned. It will be your duty to select, from a vast number of applications, the couples who are to come. And you are to see to it that they are made comfortable. Their happiness will, of course, be a thing they themselves will have to attend to."

He smiled a little at their surprised faces, and after a moment he asked quietly, "Well, what do you think of the job I'm offering you?"

"It sounds too fantastic and much too wonderful to be true," said Tom swiftly.

(To Be Continued)

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MANY PLAYERS make it almost a matter of habit to lead trumps whenever they see a short suit in the dummy which the declarer can ruff. There is no use in doing this if the dummy contains enough trumps to do any necessary ruffing of whatever losers the declarer has in the suit, enough even if he has to waste some on trump leads. In such a spot, it is better to look around for other chances to take tricks of your own, or in your partner's hand, perhaps by ruffs on your own side.

♠ J 10 4 3
♥ A Q 4 3
♦ 7 4
♣ Q 10 5 2
♠ 8 7 3
♥ J 5
♦ K J 8 5
♣ A K 9 3

♠ 5 2
♥ K 9 7 2
♦ A 9 6 2
♣ J 8 4

(Dealer: West. North-South vulnerable.)

West North East South
1 ♠ Pass 2 ♠ Pass
2 ♠ Pass 4 ♠ Pass

After North led his club 2 to the dummy's K and the heart J was returned to the S, North played his Q and decided at once that his job was to prevent the ruffing of hearts which the declarer was plainly seeking. So his rule in such cases was followed—to lead a trump. He did, his J, which West won with the Q. The heart 10 came next, North winning it with his A and promptly firing back his spade 4 to the A. The declarer then led the heart 6 and ruffed it with the spade 7. He could now

lose nothing more except to the diamond A, so made his contract. North could have figured easily that, if West had held four hearts, he very likely would have bid them on the second round instead of rebidding spades, and hence had probably only three. Consequently West could not be seeking more than one heart ruff, which could not be prevented by the couple of trump leads possible for North to make.

If North had studied further, he would have seen a chance for a diamond ruff of his own. After winning the second trick, he should have played his 9 to retain his A for an entry. When West then led a second heart to North's A, he could have returned his diamond 4 to the A, and South's return would have been ruffed by North for the trick that would have set the contract.

Tomorrow's Problem

♠ K 10 6 4
♥ K 10
♦ K Q J 6 4
♣ 8 2
♠ J
♥ A Q 9 7
♦ 5 4
♣ 9 7 5
♠ Q 5 2
♥ 6 2
♦ 10 8 2
♣ K Q 10 7

(Dealer: South. Both sides vulnerable.)

Playing for 4-Spades, if South wins the club J with the A and then drops the spade J with the K, why is it sounder play for him to come up with his spade A on the third trick in preference to finessing?

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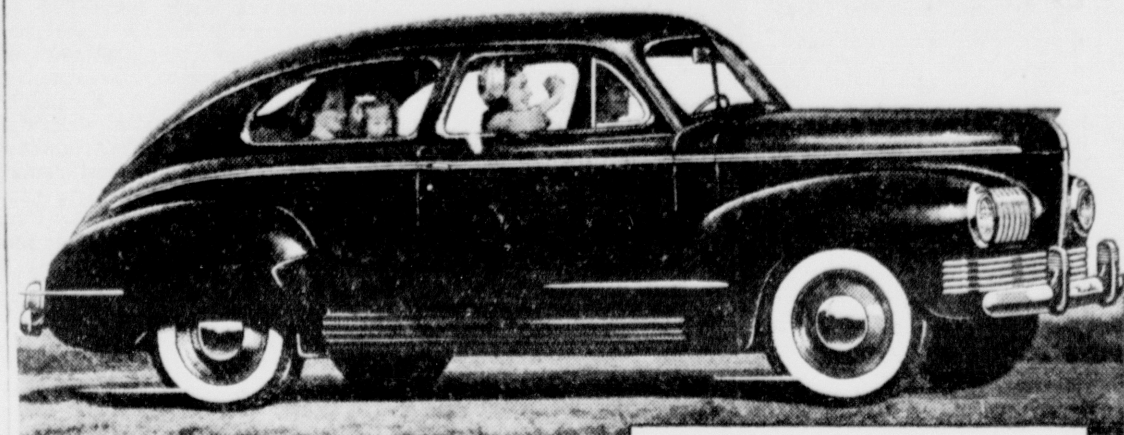
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Pilgrims Flock to Blossom-Scented Highways As America Launches a New Kind of Crusade

By MARGARET KERNODLE
AP Feature Writer

A Blossom-time boom in garden tours on America's spring schedule this year.

Flower pilgrimages seem to be a sort of Twentieth Century community crusade.

State themselves often are the sponsors. The lure may be images of growth, flowers, natural beauties, planned gardens, huge orchards or estates.

Thorough trip trend has flowered into popularity since World War I. Sometimes there is a small admission charge which usually goes toward maintenance of the visual terrace toward some community project. But many are free—in fact, the pilgrimage is more than welcome.

May Big Shows Scheduled

This year, with the world again plagued by war, the tours or shows are expected to be painted in their most attractive colors for people long for an escape.

Boon, New York, Philadelphia, St. Louis, Chicago and Seattle held flower shows during March. Cleveland had a February exhibition. Still coming up are shows at Detroit April 5-12, and Oakland, Calif. April 29 to May 4.

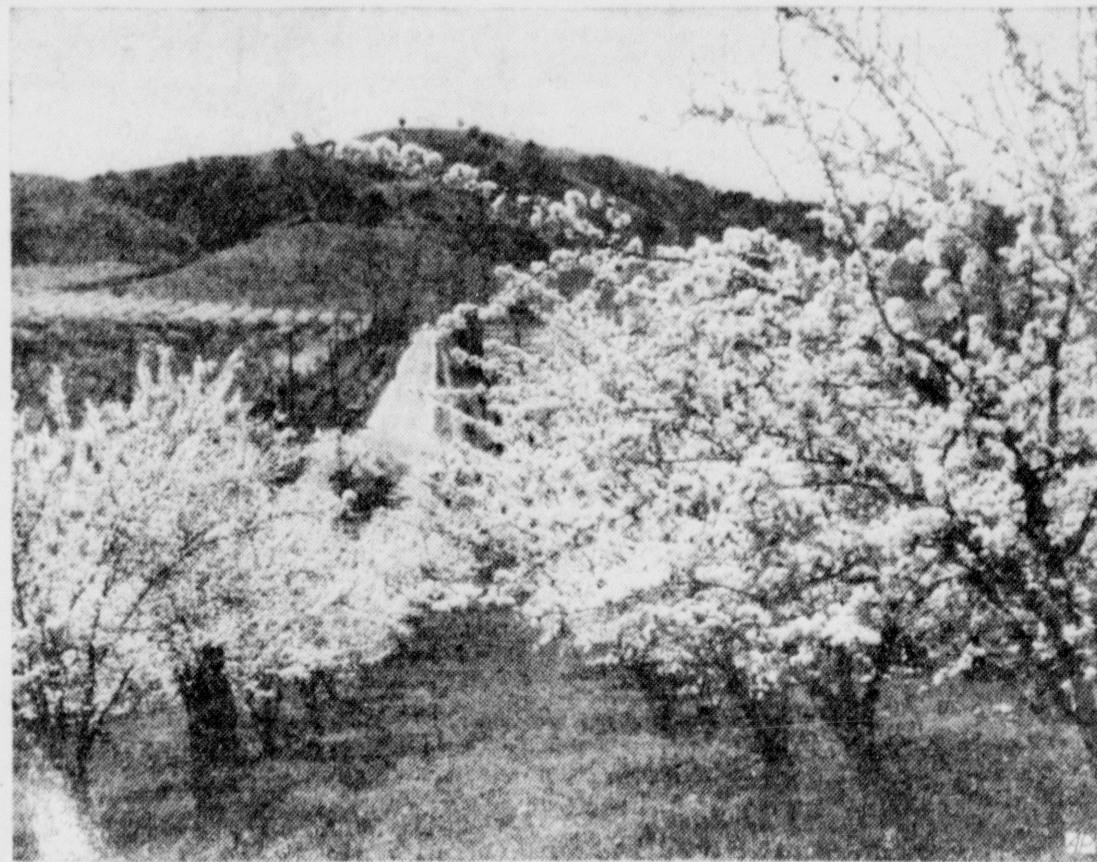
Florida has a series of spring pilgrimages beginning at Santa Barbara with La Primavera (the spring) show March 31, and including parades, visits to palatial estates and formal gardens. And there are such events—complete with pretty girls—as Sierra Madre's winter fair, the Pacific Palisades Primrose Festival, Banning's poppy display, orange blossom fete, the apricot blossom festival at Riverside, the desert sun festival at Twenty Nine Palms, and the rose show of Pasadena.

Little of Flowers

In San Antonio, Texas, where restoration of the little Spanish town of La Villita is going on, a Battle of Flowers is held April 21. Garden Club of Texas tours to Mexico are on annual event. Dallas is commemorating the 100th anniversary of its settlement with a "Garden of America" show.

New Orleans sponsors two pilgrimages, one lasting into April. New Orleans has a long post-Mardi Gras spring festival which usually attracts 100,000 visitors.

Clarks, Miss., has a pilgrimage to old homes and St. Francis



A sensory treat along the Lincoln highway as it approaches San Francisco bay.

ville, La., an audubon pilgrimage both lasting through April 6. Azaleas are starting attractions for a number of southern pilgrimages. Mobile has a 17-mile azalea trail open through most of April and boasts that it has the tallest and best blossoms in the country. Some 125,000 see them each year.

From mid-March through May the Garden Club of Georgia stages a "Pilgrimage to Georgia Homes and Gardens," including a boat trip to see water lilies, holly and cypress in the Okefenokee swamp where the Suwannee river rises.

Charleston has flowers for show from January through April, during which azaleas and magnolias are at their peak.

Tulip Festivals, Too

More than 100 homes and gardens of pre-Revolutionary days are on view in Virginia from April 26 to May 1. Williamsburg is at its best in April. In June motorists flock to the beflowered North Carolina mountains, the period being climaxed this year by the 14th annual rhododendron festival at Asheville.

The list scarcely stops there. Numerous shows and pilgrimages already have been held as spring advances northward. Not the least of those remaining are the tulip festivals at Holland, Mich., and Pella, Ia.; peony farms of the midwest, and the apple orchards of the northwest and central states. Gays Mills, Wis., and Nebraska City, Neb., are among headquarters for annual tours of such districts.

Two Hostesses Named

BALTIMORE, April 1 (AP)—Eleven army post hostesses, recently appointed by a special board of officers have gone to training camps to take up active duty in camp recreation centers.

Port George G. Meade will receive two Miss Rob. Nebley, of Hampton, Va., and Mrs. Gladys C. Davis, of Washington.

The Moores, who comprise approximately two per cent of the Filipino population, trace their conversion to Mohammedanism to the coming in 1380 of two missionaries, Makdum and Abu Bakar, from Malaya.



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Don't Give Children Indeterminate Sentences, Myers Advises Parents

By GARRY C. MYERS, Ph.D.

Much advice to parents is from those who think in terms of a school group. Discipline in the nursery school or kindergarten or elementary grade is relatively easy by means of isolation of the child who offends the group.

Curiously enough, most such advisers fail to see how different the home is from the schoolroom. In the average home there are not children to be isolated from. Usually it merely means sending the child to his room away from the annoyed parent. That, indeed, may prove a pleasure to the child. While isolated he is strongly inclined to get into some added mischief seeming to deserve further punishment. Then how will isolation be effective? A mother writes of her boy 3½:

"I have tried making him sit in his room. One day while there for punishment he tore the pages from his favorite story book."

Sit Doing Nothing

A wiser and more practical means of punishment of the child under eight or ten is assignment to sit doing nothing, for a definite period of time, at a certain place in the room where he all the while is clearly seen by the punisher. Of course the child must stay in the assigned place until the punishment is over. Early teach him the meaning of "No." Without it all punishment becomes a mockery and emotional torment for every one concerned. If isolation works I'm for it, but I want first to be sure it really works. No punishment can merely

fail. When it fails to attain its purpose it does more; it creates resentment, builds up barriers between child and parent and engenders rebelliousness and disregard for constituted authority.

No Indeterminate Sentence

Whether you sentence your child to sit in a certain place or go to his room, don't, if you wish to get results, tell him to stay there until he can be good or until you say, "Now you may go"—as generally is advised. No indeterminate sentence for children. Always state how long the punishment must last. Then he has no inducement to plead or argue or play upon your feelings. Accordingly he soon learns to face his punishment stoically and to profit from it.

"To Punish or Not to Punish: When and How" is the title of one of fifteen pamphlets I have written on the baby and young child, being popular presentation of my university lectures to parents of preschool children. A list of these pamphlets and information on how to get them may be had by writing to me at 235 East Forty-fifth street, New York City, enclosing a self-addressed envelope with a three-cent stamp on it.

Solving Parent Problems

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The new program, it was explained, is designed for the benefit of those students who desire technical training in scientific agriculture

but who do not care to meet the requirements of the four-year agriculture course.

"Few of our agriculture students now go back to the farm," explained Dean C. R. Orton of the College of Agriculture, Forestry and Home Economics. "That is because we have had no course of studies designed for just such students."

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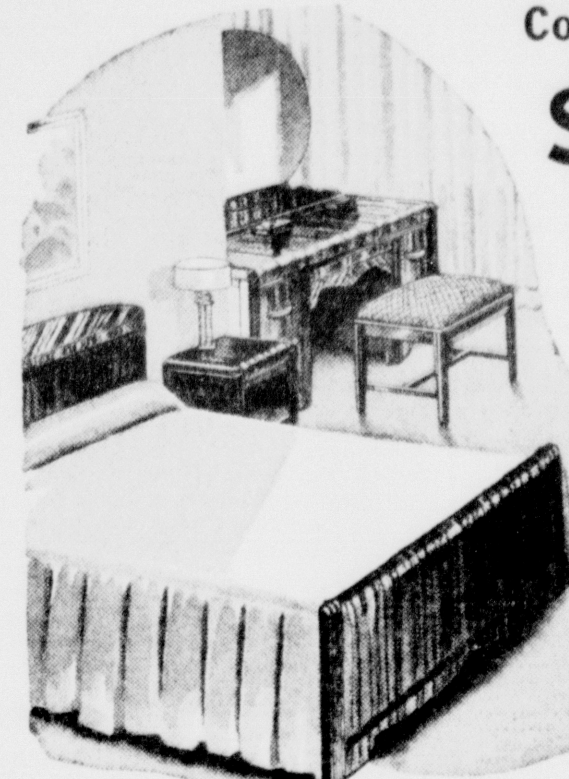
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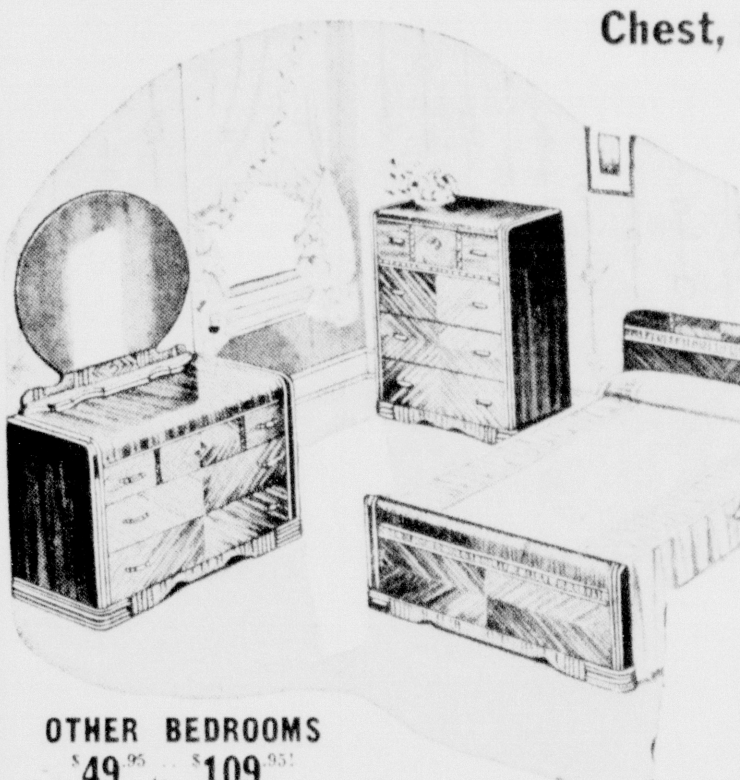
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Benefit Basketball Game Set for Tonight

All-City Five To Meet Second Team Players

Contest Will Be Staged at 8:15 for Benefit of Community Chest

What will without a doubt be the final basketball game of the 1940-41 season for Cumberland high school players will take place here tonight at 8:15 o'clock at S.S. Peter and Paul school gym for the benefit of the Community Chest.

The contest which has been dubbed a "Dream" game will be between members of the All-City Five, selected by local coaches and members of the Second All-City team, also chosen by the coaches recently.

STARTING LINEUPS
All-City Five: P. Dick Boyle, Bill James, C. Billy Dean, Johnny Baul, G. Don McHenry, Ken Sherman, G. Jack Cook, Francis Shaffer, G. Bill Smith.

Players of the All-City teams conceived the idea of playing the game and turning the entire proceeds over to the Community Chest drive and school authorities and coaches were quick to sanction the plan as were Dr. Frank M. Wilson, chairman and Harold W. Smith, president of the Community Chest.

Coaches Cavanaugh, Bowers and Conway are co-operating with the boys and are assisting in making arrangements for the game which is expected to attract a large crowd, as many fans have been anxious to see an All-Star contest.

Cliff Fearer has volunteered his services as one of the referees and other local officials were said to be willing to assist in anyway possible. There will be no advance sale of tickets and regular admission prices for high school games will be charged. The proceeds will be listed by the Community Chest as a donation from Cumberland's high school students and basketball fans.

Each team will be allowed to select two or three players who played in intra-city games this past season. There will be a preliminary at 7:15 between the Lafayette Club which won the 130 pound tournament here and the Junior Sunday School League All Stars.

Four Matches Are Rolled Recently In P E Circuit

In matches rolled this week in the Potomac Edison league Elections took three straight from Ohms 2:56 to 2:02; Powers won three games from Amers 2:65 to 2:22; Parads won three straight from Watts 2:35 to 2:32 and Volts downed Demands 8:01 to 6:48.

The scores:
POWERS
Watts 102, 121-126
Battera 102, 94-124
Emerson 102, 101-113
Caldwell 121, 99-104-124
Rudy 150, 24-95-130
Blind 180, 180-340
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Northern 121, 108-128-426
Woods 102, 101-113-448
Donkey 102, 102-182-391
Hulke 102, 111-99-305
Campbell 102, 85-99-318
Rory 102, 109-134-349
James 102, 134-158-417
Totals 840 820 994-2654

WATTS
Whitely 184, 131-432
Johnson 124, 91-127-432
Stacy 124, 104-132-374
Battera 124, 82-147-418
Hulke 124, 102-155-444
Blind 124, 90-96-270
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Henrich 96, 117-328
Haine 127, 132-391-366
Waters 127, 121-187-418
Hulke 124, 142-170-456
E. Cook 109, 114-118-331
Dyer 158, 127-141-426
Totals 732 810-2335

OHMS
J. Wilson 125, 122-373
Blind 124, 104-132-374
Watts 124, 102-155-444
Totals 380 450 1350-380

DEMANDS
Brant 142, 117-338
Blind 124, 104-132-374
Totals 266 267 220-801

ELECTRONS
Mack 131, 117-314-382
A. Wilson 109, 125-108-340
Schaefer 81, 107-144-332
Schoenadel 87, 87-87-87
J. Cooke 145, 131-128-404
E. Conley 126, 112-115-421
Sallings 119, 149-132-420
Totals 608 661 787-2566

VOLTS
L. Berk 114, 143-123-380
Foster 148, 144-107-412
Totals 262 287 220-801

HORSEMEN
Hulke 142, 117-338
Blind 124, 104-132-374
Totals 266 267 220-801

HORSEMEN HIGH ON HIRSCH'S STRING
BOWIE, Md., April 2 (P)—Horsemen reaching here from winter quarters at Columbia, S. C., are "high" on Trainer Max Hirsch's string, which will go to New York to start its Eastern campaign April 12.

Preston M. Birch said his guess was that Hirsch had more likely prospects than ever before, while others were impressed by the speed and power of Dispose, winner of two major stakes at Hialeah last winter and the Kentucky Derby favorite.

DERRINGER TO REJOIN REDS
FORT BENNING, Ga., April 2 (P)—Paul Derringer expects to rejoin the Cincinnati Reds next week at Birmingham. The ace pitcher worked out yesterday with the Birmingham Club at Tampa, his first work-out in more than a week since a batted ball injured his groin.

meet MR.



John Kramer

Two years ago, John Henry Kramer, right-handed rookie pitcher, was a swell St. Louis Browns prospect. And, by November, Kramer had proven he had the stuff good pitchers are made of by winning several games for the Browns during the season.

A sore arm stopped him cold last year, and he was sent to Toledo of the American Association. Now he is back again, hoping to make good in the big time.

Kramer is a big fellow, standing two inches over six feet and weighing 190 pounds. He is a native of New Orleans.

THE SPORT TRAIL
By WHITNEY MARTIN

NEW YORK, April 2.—(The Special News Service)—If the bout runs true to form, Max Baer Baer should be worth no more than a place bet when he meets Lou Nova at Madison Square Garden Friday night.

There are several reasons for believing that Maxie will stop more punches than he starts. In the first place, he has a memory for faces, particularly his own as it looked after Nova got through with him in their previous meeting, and this will tend to discourage Maxie before he starts.

The other reasons really don't matter, for a discouraged Max Baer is a pre-cooked Max Baer, ready to be taken. Given the confidence of a Nova or a Billy Conn, the genial gent could have emerged as one of the all-time ring greats. He has all the physical requirements.

This is no reflection on his courage. Once he gets in the ring he will take a terrific beating. Even when loser to Joe Louis by a knockout he took a beating. It may have taken a derrick to get him into the ring, but once he was in there he showed his taking ways until he decided he had endured all the suffering the customers could stand.

We don't look for a clean knockout Friday night. It is doubtful if Baer ever was knocked completely unconscious, unless he did it himself in secret as he rapped his skull against steam pipes to toughen it. He just takes all he thinks a man should be expected to take and then retires in good order.

If there happened to be a clean knockout, it would be Baer who scored it. He can dent gumboats with his ponderous right. Nova stood up under them before, but if one of them lands exactly right nobody could stand up under it, and Baer is going to be in there swinging.

Based on their last fight, it is our guess that Nova will either win the decision or cut up Maxie again so badly that the bout will be stopped. Baer's hope is in a clean knockout. He can't box with Nova who, although he still seems to have two left feet in there, is a pretty fair counter boxer.

Also in Nova's favor is an almost fanatical determination to some day win the heavyweight championship. Sometimes that kind of determination can offset other drawbacks, such as dual-control feet and a tendency to take unnecessary chances.

However, here's a young fellow still climbing toward a peak which Baer has reached and passed. He still has the incentive. Baer, reportedly well-fixed financially, not only no longer has an incentive, but it is doubtful if he ever really had his heart in his work. He won the championship more through natural ability than any burning desire to be king.

As a halter on any latent incentive Baer might be hiding, there is the virtual certainty the winner will be matched for a September bout with Louis. If Louis still is champion.

And holding up a Louis bout before Baer as a prize is practically the same as offering him his choice of weapons, which he wants no part of unless it could be telephones at six miles.

Pasteurized milk was named after Louis Pasteur, French scientist.

THIS AND THAT IN THE SPORTS WORLD

Maryland university will offer its first varsity doubleheader of the spring Saturday when the baseball team meets V.M.I. at College Park at 2 o'clock and the LaCrosse team takes on Loyola of Baltimore at 3:30 o'clock. The Maryland Tennis team has added Catholic university to the schedule for a match on April 23. This gives the Terps thirteen duel meets.

Paul Brown, new football coach at Ohio State university at Columbus, Ohio, says the preliminaries are over and that candidates for the team must get down to serious business. He'll send the hopefuls through a spring training program which started this week and will last until May 10 when the Buckeye fans will get their first peek at Brown's product in the annual intra-squad game.

Cumberland sportsmen welcomed the brilliant sunshine and spring weather yesterday and were out in droves to participate in the favorite pastime. Many went trout fishing; others took advantage of the first real spring day and went to the golf courses, softball, baseball and tennis addicts also were out getting ready for a busy summer. High school baseball coaches were delighted with the weather and sent boys through long workouts and a few more days like yesterday and today.

Basketball coaches, players and fans will be interested in knowing that an international celebration to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the invention of basketball will be held during the 1941-42 season with the city of Springfield, Mass., where the game was invented as the focal point of the celebration.

A group of prominent Springfield citizens headed by Mayor Roger L. Putnam will serve as a Naismith Memorial committee to plan the events of a world celebration. In December, 1891, Dr. James A. Naismith tacked the first peach baskets to the gymnasium railing and posted the first rules of basketball in the gymnasium of the International Young Men's Christian Association Training School, now Springfield college. The dates of Basketball's Golden Jubilee year have been set accordingly by the committee as December, 1941 to December, 1942.

Plans already underway will provide recognition of basketball during the anniversary year in the United States, Canada, Mexico and the South American countries. Where the game has become probably the most popular of all sports.

The Naismith Memorial committee will conduct a campaign to erect a memorial to the game's inventor to be known as a "Temple of Basketball." The building will house a basketball "Hall of Fame" that will be a depository for past, present and future basketball documents and records of the game. Another feature of the "Hall of Fame" will be the enshrining of names of annual official "All-American" basketball teams, selected by the sports writers of the country.

The first gift for the memorial to Dr. Naismith has been received by the committee from Dr. Naismith's Springfield college class of 1892 which has pledged the first \$1,000 for the memorial to their celebrated classmate.

The Naismith Memorial committee will announce soon the list of nationally known figures who will make up the nation-wide committee to conduct the year's celebration of events in every city, town and hamlet where the game of basketball is played.

Just what part Cumberland and Western Maryland teams and fans will have in the celebration has not been worked out but it is safe to predict they will participate in the program.

WILKINSON GROCERS TO PRACTICE TODAY
The initial softball practice of the year for the Wilkinson Grocers' of the Allegany County Softball League will be held this afternoon at 5 o'clock at Community Park.

Members of the squad last year as well as other players who want to try out are invited to report for the first workout.

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Maryland Netters Beat Lafayette

COLLEGE PARK, Md., April 2 (P)—Maryland's tennis team opened the 1941 season today by downing the Lafayette college netters, 8 matches to 1.

The Old Liners swept the singles and won two of the three doubles matches. The only Terp defeat came on a forfeit in the number one double combination.

The summary:

Singles
Burkom, Maryland, defeated Quinn, Lafayette, 6-1, 6-2.
Royal, Maryland, defeated Danby, Lafayette, 6-3, 6-1.
Hardy, Maryland, defeated Stuhler, Lafayette, 6-4, 6-4.
Baughman, Maryland, defeated Bluestein, Lafayette, 7-5, 6-3.
Burnside, Maryland, defeated Kadish, Lafayette, 6-0, 6-2.
Clark, Maryland, defeated Jones, Lafayette, 7-5, 6-2.

Doubles
Quinn and Stuhler, Lafayette, won on forfeit from Burkom and Royal, Maryland.
Baughman and Bales, Maryland, defeated Danby and Kadish, Lafayette, 8-6, 7-5.
Burnside and Berg, Maryland, defeated Jones and Weimer, Lafayette, 2-6, 6-3, 8-6.

Skiles Breaks Mark in Kiwanis League

STANDING OF CLUBS
Pearsons 26 13 567
Holmes 22 16 589
Walsh 18 21 462
Browns 11 28 282

With "Red" Skiles showing the way with a record-breaking set of 570, the Pearsons defeated the Browns in all three games to extend their lead in the Kiwanis Club League's last half championship race at Club Recreation.

Skiles, after opening with a 194 game, followed with 197 and finished with 179. The previous high was 542, turned in by Williams, Somerville, paced the Browns with 409.

In the other match, the Walshs took across the Holmes twice with Barnes topping the winners with 384 and Platt sparking the Holmes with 351. The scores:

BROWNS
Sommerville 130 116 161-409
Stacy 139 131 171-377
Dixon 97 110 82-289
Stein 103 121 177-301
Knepper 105 119 137-341
Totals 584 602 626-1792

PEARSONS
Woods 132 166 148-447
Skiles 194 197 179-570
B. Buchanan 130 116 85-331
Lottig 138 162 147-447
Totals 743 859 651-2133

WALSHS
Carpenter 105 108 113-326
Shoup 96 90 116-298
Baird 130 116 85-331
Walsh 112 143 127-384
Heimlich 88 108 139-335
Totals 468 570 622-1669

HOLMES
Pace 80 103 128-311
A. Buchanan 105 90 133-328
Blind 85 90 116-298
Baird 108 116 113-307
Claus 120 113-237
Totals 483 509 601-1582

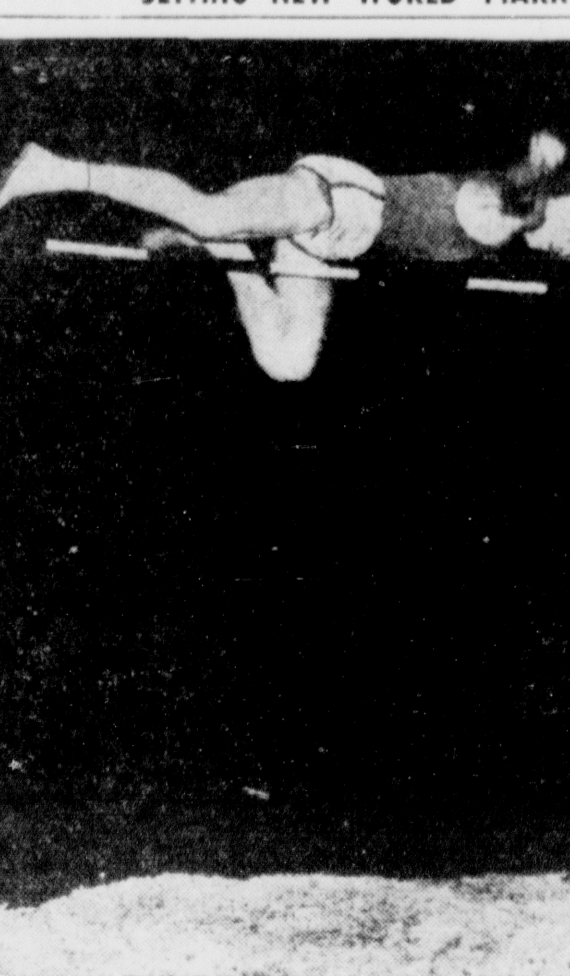
Roxy Rovers Score Over Frostburgers

The Roxy Rovers romped to a 128-pin victory over Frostburg bowlers in a three-game tenpin match on the Roxy alleys. Pacing the local crew were "Buck" Stewart with 208-528 and H. Martz with 213-527. Twigg was high for Frostburg with 484. The scores:

FROSTBURG
E. Scarpell 143 150 162-455
Twigg 162 172 182-416
N. Downey 162 150 115-427
F. Crowe 158 140 177-475
Totals 625 612 604-1841

ROXY ROVERS
H. Martz 213 217 213-527
J. Rosenmeyer 136 147 153-436
O. Bell 158 160 139-457
B. Stewart 208 143 175-528
Totals 690 599 680-1969

SETTING NEW WORLD MARK



Clearing the bar at six feet seven and three-eighths inches, Les Steers, star high jumper on the University of Oregon track team, sets a new world indoor mark during a meet with the University of Washington at Seattle.

Kelly Tenpin Crew Wins at Frostburg

Frostburg, April 2—Kelly-Springfield Tire Company bowlers, with Hudak getting 202-547 and Greeny 200-535, defeated Frostburg's tenpin outfit by 63 pins in a three-game match here. Twigg was high for the locals with 506. The scores:

KELLY TIRE CO.
Hudak 184 161 202-547
Collins 155 123 124-408
Piggett 156 150 103-384
Greeny 145 148 142-433
Totals 640 584 717-2197

FROSTBURG
Scarpell 143 150 162-455
Twigg 162 172 182-416
N. Downey 162 150 115-427
F. Crowe 158 140 177-475
Totals 625 612 604-1841

Head Pins Triumph

The North End Head Pins, sparked by Lou Dusics 429 set, scored a 158-pin victory over the North End Splitters in a three-game, total-pin match at the Savoy. Charley Whitacre battered 437 sticks in pacing the losers. The scores:

SPLITTERS
Harvey 109 105 95-309
L. Rehl 133 94 143-370
Kronsmire 133 104 98-334
Whitacre 138 124 175-437
Totals 510 429 512-1451

HEAD PINS
Buzard 133 132 137-402
K. Rupert 119 117 152-388
L. Dusics 126 163 140-429
F. Ruhl 167 150 173-484
Totals 511 542 556-1601

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City Dux League Handicap Singles Ends in Deadlock

Leo Leasure, who rolled for the Roxy outfit, and Dick Stegmaier of the championship S.S. Peter & Paul Seniors, shared honors in the annual City Men's League singles handicap tournament this week at the Roxy with scores of 554. They agreed to divide first and second prizes.

Leasure, with a handicap of 34 added 520 pins to his total in actual competition while Stegmaier, whose handicap was 48, hit 506. Leasure, who rolled near the end of the list, picked off a two-pin spare in the last box of the third game to gain the tie.

The City League will close its books for the season Sunday evening when it holds its annual banquet at Minke's Cottage Inn. There will be a short speaking program and trophies will be awarded.

Handicap tournament scores follow:

HC
Children 124 148 190-522
Patt Smith 16 153 184 353-527
Roy Ammons 20 139 109 151-380
Conry 8 141 134 385-456
Burre 30 105 127 159-382
Neus 76 116 109 155-474
Sugamaker 43 149 185 357-584
Howard 30 130 132 340-430
Berhard 44 167 127 348-437
Armstrong 42 121 138 308-389
H. C. H. 34 163 223 356-440
P. C. 26 147 148 365-490
F. C. 166 175 147-484
B. C. 38 87 136 351-473
McDermott 48 139 158 375-477
McDermott 42 128 184 332-544
Pete Smith 40 119 112 341-352
Hopwood 140 131 305-504
Armstrong 42 121 138 308-389
(T) L. Leasure 34 150 180 390-554

SPADES ADD TO LEAD IN CLUB LADIES' LOOP
The Spades defeated the Diamonds twice while the Hearts were losing three to the Clubs to extend their lead in the Club Ladies League from five to seven games.

Hitting over 400 were Martin, Spades, 410 and Flynn, Clubs, 397-441. Kalbaugh led the Diamonds with 321 while E. Gibbs sparked the Hearts with 377. The scores:

SPADES
Harrison 111 140 154-375
Hutchins 145 86 103-334
Martin 131 143 136-410
Blind 75 88 95-256
Totals 463 435 458-1376

DIAMONDS
Nichols 88 95 115-317
Kalbaugh 104 122 95-321
Lease 75 88 119-280
Conry 93 95 117-304
Totals 357 399 466-1222

HEARTS
E. Gibbs 101 184 122-377
Dreke 108 88 108-294
J. Gibbs 96 107-305
Will 90 112 112-314
Totals 393 448 448-1299

CLUBS
Flynn 101 127 145-445
P. Birmingham 115 96 114-328
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Totals 332 332 332-996

CUMBERLAND
Shuck 116 143 143-402
J. Murphy 122 136 135-393
H. Reed 144 134 147-425
J. Pastorek 79 114 82-275
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H. Reed 144 134 147-425
J. Pastorek 79 114 82-275
Totals 511 542 556-1601

SENIATORS OPTION SANFORD TO CHATTANOOGA
ORLANDO, Fla., April 2 (P)—The Senators announced today that First Baseman Jack Sanford, big graduate of the Charlotte farm team, had been optioned to Chattanooga of the Southern association subject to twenty-four-hour recall.

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Omission Wins Rowe Memorial Handicap

Scores an Easy Victory before Crowd of 8,000

Meade Brings Winner Home Four Lengths in Front of Clyde Tolson

BOWIE, Md., April 2 (P)—Omission, a highly-regarded Kentucky Derby favorite, came up with a brilliant mud-running performance in his first 1941 outing today to score an easy victory in the \$5,000 Rowe Memorial Handicap before a crowd of 8,000.

Jockey Don Meade, who flew here from Florida to ride Victor Emanuel's colt, booted the dark brown three-year-old son of Jack and Regret to a smart four-length victory over E. K. Bryson's Clyde Tolson.

Three lengths back in third place was Mrs. Anthony Pelletier's Catalpa, with half a length's advantage over Alfred G. Vanderbilt's Good Turn, another Derby eligible and the betting favorite in the Rowe Memorial.

Bumped at the start and lost away from the gate, Good Turn, a three-time winner at Santa Anita, was forced to go around the field and made up lots of ground when Al Sheddhamer gave him the lead.

Running over a track deep in mud from yesterday's rain, Omission covered the six furlongs in 1:14, buried with only 110 pounds compared to Clyde Tolson's top weight of 122. Omission paid \$13.50 for \$2 and picked up a purse of \$4,225.

Eight started in the Rowe and the entry of Mrs. Emil Denmark, Equistar and Court Dance, showed the way out of the gate. Omission trailed this pair for the first quarter, took the lead by a head at the half-mile mark and drew away easily from there on in.

Clyde Tolson, next to last in the early stages, made a game bid in the stretch drive, while Mrs. A. J. Abels' Honey Cloud, last year's Rowe winner, finished a poor fifth and appeared in need of more work.

Top Outfits Lose in Roxy Ladies' League

STANDING OF CLUBS

Maidens	23	10	897
Debs	21	12	818
Amazons	21	12	818
Damels	17	16	515
Belles	8	24	273
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The Maidens, who grabbed the lead in the Roxy Ladies' League last week, lost their title to the Belles this week but managed to remain in front as the second-place Debs bowed twice to the Amazons. In the other match, the Damels blanked the Coeds.

High set of 381 was rolled by Elizabeth Rhoe of the Debs. Other standouts were J. Crippen, Amazons, 276; M. Bell, Damels, 239; R. Harrison, Coeds, 238; A. McGraw, Belles, 248; and N. Chase, Maidens, 226.

THE SCORES:

AMAZONS

P. Crippen	94	136	519-333
J. Crippen	123	103	148-78
N. Crippen	128	114	148-78
B. Crippen	128	114	148-78
M. Crippen	95	90	138-323

DEBS

P. Rhoe	140	135	106-381
J. Rhoe	117	109	98-344
D. Rhoe	99	107	111-317
E. Rhoe	128	114	148-78
N. Rhoe	60	48	111-261

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Walks and Hits Are Victorious

In matches rolled recently in the Trozno A. C. League, Walks took three straight from Runs 2:56.2 to 2:19.1 and Hits took two out of three from Errors.

T. Moore was individual scoring leader for the Hits rolling 517; George with 508, Sterne with 504 and Lafferty with 501 were right on Moore's heels.

THE SCORES:

WALKS

P. Moore	117	117	108-342
J. Moore	117	117	108-342
D. Moore	117	117	108-342
E. Moore	117	117	108-342
N. Moore	117	117	108-342

HITS

P. Moore	117	117	108-342
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From the PRESS BOX

By JOHN LARDNER
North American Newspaper Alliance

Dumb Dan Convinced Baer Will Win Fight

NEW YORK, April 2.—As your correspondent turned a corner in cauliflower alley, a steel coil leaped out of nowhere and fastened about his neck. Your correspondent thought he had been attacked by a Boa constrictor, but it was not a Boa at all (unless you talk with an English accent). It was the arm of dumb Dan Morgan, the perfect prognosticator of prizefights.

"What can I do for you?" inquired Mr. Morgan.

"Nothing," said your correspondent.

"I suppose you are going to pester me to predict the winner of the next fight," said dumb Dan.

"No, indeed," said your correspondent.

"Well, since you ask so prettily, I will tell you," said the sage, snapping his jaw once or twice for sound.

"The winner will be Max Baer. He will lick Lou Nova on Friday night if he follows my advice, and he will certainly follow my advice if he knows what is good for him."

Mr. Morgan, in case you have forgotten, is not only a picker of winners without peer in the boxing dodge, but the former manager of Jack Britton, world's welterweight champion. He guided Britton through twenty-seven (or possibly twenty-nine) fights with Ted Kid Lewis, who was managed by James J. Johnston, and there is some question as to which fighter got the most advice.

A Free-Lance Adviser

Mr. Johnston poured 1,786,540 words of advice into the dainty ear of Lewis, but Mr. Morgan claims that he supplied Britton with 2,500,000 words of valuable counsel during their association, and Britton agrees.

"I can show you the scars," says the old champ modestly.

Today Mr. Morgan is a free-lance adviser. He distributes advice for a small fee, which comes to something like five cents per 1,000 words. At this rate, dumb Dan can make himself \$10 in practically no time.

"Let me tell you something about Baer," said Mr. Morgan to your correspondent.

"Well—"

"That's true, I grant you that," said dumb Dan. "It's a good point you made there, kid. But listen. When Baer was matched to fight Pat Comiskey last year, I was with the Comiskey mob, you know, just out of time's sake, and I said the Irishman would beat Baer. I didn't believe it, you understand, but I was in there plugging for my man."

"So I see Baer before the fight, and he says, 'Dan, you're crazy, he says. He didn't mean no offense, you know. He just said I was crazy. He said, 'Dan, this Comiskey is a preliminary fighter. He's just a big green kid. If I can't lick him, I promise to retire tomorrow.'"

"And he done it."

"So I says, 'Max, you might do it at that. He says, you know damn well I'll do it, and quick, Dan. I says, 'Max, you might do it at that. But I gotta stick with my mob, you know. He says, 'Dan, I appreciate that. But I'll knock him dead inside of two. I says, 'Max, you might do it at that.'"

"So he done it," continued Mr. Morgan rhythmically. "He knocked Comiskey cold in the first round. I knew he would do it, but I had my affiliations, you understand."

"And what are your affiliations this time?" said your correspondent suspiciously.

"I am unaffiliated at the moment," declared dumb Dan. "I am absolutely partial, and as such I tell you that Baer can't miss if he fights right. I have tipped him off on how to fight. It is just a free service, you understand, by way of apology for the Comiskey fight."

"How—"

"Yessir," said Mr. Morgan. "If Baer comes out and uses that left, and keeps that left in Nova's face, and then closes in and grabs the other guy, if he keeps doing like that he can't miss. Toward the end of the fight he might even knock him out, you see, because the guy will be tired and baffled."

"The way I figure, Nova is easy to hit, and Baer can pile up the points till he has this fella set up for a right. But he don't have to hurry it. If he starts leading with a right, Nova will stick his left hand in there and maybe cut him up. So Baer has to use his left. If he does that he's the winner."

"Good-bye, Mr. Morgan," said your correspondent.

"Just a minute," said dumb Dan. "I wanna tell you—"

Mr. Morgan's weakness is his running. In a flash I had opened three blocks of daylight on him and was pulling away. There is never a dull moment in cauliflower alley.

Joseph Bilgere Will Manage Youngstown

YOUNGSTOWN, O., April 2 (P)—Joseph E. Bilgere, veteran infielder of the San Antonio Club of the Texas League, today was appointed manager of the Youngstown Browns of the Mid Atlantic circuit.

Bilgere, a 33-year-old shortstop and infielder, has been with the San Antonio club, a St. Louis farm, since 1934.

Buck Newsom Is Beaten by the Buffalo Bisons

Yields Two Runs and Eight Hits to International League Team

LAKELAND, Fla., April 2 (P)—Louis "Buck" Newsom, one of the American League's top-flight hurlers, was just another moundman today as the Buffalo Bisons of the International League defeated the Detroit Tigers, 2 to 1, in an exhibition game.

Newsom yielded both runs and all but one of the nine Bisons hits in the six innings he toiled. Al Benton finished, allowing one hit.

Reds Are Shut Out

FORT BENNING, Ga., April 2 (P)—Errors nullified the nearest hurling stint of the Cincinnati Reds' training season today and the World Champions lost again to Boston's American League, 3 to 0.

With his brother, John, receiving him, Elmer Riddle allowed three safeties in eight innings' longest stretch so far for a Red pitcher.

The five-hit pitching of Dominic Ryba and Emerson Dickman held the champions helpless throughout the game.

Indians Trim Giants

SELMA, Ala., April 2 (P)—The Cleveland Indians captured their fourth victory in five games with the New York Giants 3 to 1, today as Al Smith and Ken Jungels collaborated in a hurling duel against Harry Gumbert.

Warneke Goes Route

ALBANY, Ga., April 2 (P)—Veteran Lou Warneke pitched the entire nine innings and was never in danger as the St. Louis Cardinals defeated Albany of the Georgia-Florida league today, 18 to 3 in an exhibition baseball game.

Pirates Defeat A's

HOLLYWOOD, Cal., April 2 (P)—Bob Johnson's ninth inning home run with a mate on base saved the Philadelphia Athletics from a shut-out today as they bowed to Pittsburgh 8 to 2.

Prior to the big smash the A's had been held to four singles and had not been able to get a man as far as second base. Rip Sewell hurled six innings for the Pirates and Max Butcher the remainder of the game.

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Ross, Vaughan, St. and Wagner, Sewell, Butcher, G. and Lopez.

Medwick in Shape

FORT WORTH, Texas, April 2 (P)—Joe Medwick, who never showed much interest in spring training as a St. Louis Cardinal, is set for Brooklyn to start the National League season. In top form, he hit safely in the last 16 exhibitions, topping his streak with a homer and two doubles against Shreveport yesterday. He has made 30 hits in 70 official times at bat during this streak.

Imported Horses Reach Pimlico

[By The Associated Press]

Twelve imported horses, some of which never have raced in America, are among the twenty-three thoroughbreds of R. Sterling Clark's Stable, one of the early arrivals at Pimlico for the meeting which opens April 23.

Most prominent are Saguelay II, French-bred horse that raced in England; Abbe Pierre and Trois Pistoles, of the Baltimore Spring Handicap and the Jennings.

Pioneers Tie for Lead in Bell Club

STANDING OF CLUBS

W. L. Pct.	
Belongs	21 12 .636
Pioneers	21 12 .636
Youngsters	16 17 .484
Debs	8 25 .242

Pioneer maple clouters decorated the Bellhops for the Bell Club League lead this week on the SS. Peter and Paul alleys by taking all three games from the Debs while the Bellhops were winning two from the Youngsters.

Margaret Hammernsmith topped the Youngsters with 298, Gerdean had 334 for the Bellhops. Freda Ritter hit 247 in leading the Debs attack and Margaret Cloonan was high for the Pioneers with a 314 count. The scores:

DEBS

Ritter	47	77	66-191
Gerdean	80	71	59-210
Youngsters	88	89	70-241
Belongs	54	73	84-211

TOTALS

Debs	208	216	273-859
Pioneers	208	216	273-859
Youngsters	208	216	273-859
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PIONEERS

V. Martin	110	108	86-304
S. Deane	110	108	86-304
M. Cloonan	110	108	86-304
P. Ritter	110	108	86-304

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Pioneers	440	432	1368-3941
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YOUNGSTERS

P. Moore	117	117	108-342
J. Moore	117	117	108-342
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By BRANDON WALSH



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Yesterday's Answer
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Funeral Notice

MILLER—J. Edward, aged 51, of Midland, died Tuesday, April 1, at Memorial hospital, Cumberland. Funeral services will be held from the home of his son, Robert Miller of Midland, Friday, 2 p. m. Interment in Laurel Hill cemetery. Arrangements by Richman's Funeral Service. 4-3-11-N

SHOWACRE—Philip G. aged 51, son of the late Philip G. and Jane R. Showacre, died Wednesday, April 2, at his home, 406 Springdale St. The body will remain at the Kuhn Funeral Home, where friends will be received and funeral services held Friday, 2 p. m. The Rev. George E. Houghman, pastor of First Methodist Church, will officiate. Interment in Rose Hill Cemetery. Arrangements by William H. Kuhn Funeral Service. 4-3-11-N

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OLDSMOBILE Sales and Service, St. Cloud Motor, Phone 14, Frostburg. 2-16-11-T

USED CARS at Cumberland's Lowest Prices. M. G. K. Motor Co. 2-26-11-T

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1940 Plymouth Deluxe Sedan. R. H. 3-31-31-N

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37 Buick 6 Wheel Sedan. \$425

36 Oldsmobile Sedan. \$250

38 Dodge Coupe R & H. \$395

36 Ford Roadster. \$245

36 Chrysler (Six). \$295

37 Lincoln Zephyr Sedan. \$350

31 Hupmobile Sedan. \$40

28 Chevrolet Sedan. \$15

32 Chevrolet Sedan. \$69

30 Chevrolet Sedan. \$55

Cumberland Loan Co. 42 N. Mechanic St. Phone 607-M

40 Lincoln Zephyr Fordor Sedan, heater, low mileage, W. S. tires.

40 Ford Deluxe Coupe, heater, seat covers, 6,000 miles. \$625

40 Ford Coupe, radio, auxiliary seats, 18,000 miles. \$595

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39 Mercury Fordor Sedan, heater, W. S. tires, excellent condition. \$625

39 Ford Convertible Coupe, R. & H. W. S. tires. \$575

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37 Lincoln Zephyr Coupe R. & H. new tires. \$395

37 Plymouth 2 Door R. & H. \$345

35 Ford Fordor Deluxe Sedan, R. & H. \$125

34 Ford Station Wagon, good condition. \$165

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32 Olds "6" 4 Door Sedan. \$60

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Mrs. Byron Gets Warm Reception In Cumberland

Wants To Carry on Work of Her Husband in Washington

Mrs. William D. Byron of Williamsport, hopeful that the voters of the Sixth Congressional District will give her the opportunity to fill out her husband's unexpired term in Congress, visited Allegany county yesterday and received a warm reception from Democratic leaders.

Mrs. Byron called on Joseph Griffin, chairman; John Schellhaus, Charles Heiler and P. J. Stakem, of the Democratic State Central Committee of Allegany county; Bernard Hughes, of Fredburg, and Thomas F. Stakem, of Midland, both committeemen, and other Democratic leaders and workers.

"Much Encouraged"

"I have been very much encouraged by the reception I've received here," Mrs. Byron said last night.

Mrs. Byron made it plain she has no political aspirations other than to fill out the unexpired term of her husband in the House of Representatives. She will not seek another term in the event the people of the Sixth district elect her to fill the vacancy created by the death of her husband in an airplane crash at Atlanta, Ga., several weeks ago.

Wants to Carry on

Mrs. Byron also expressed the opinion that any other individual elected to the office would not be obligated to carry out the platform on which her husband was elected. She would like to see the work started by her husband carried out.

Mrs. Byron arrived in Cumberland yesterday and was accompanied on her visit by John J. McMullen and Owen E. Hitchens, both intimate friends of her husband.

McMullen said last night that the various calls on the members of the state central committee were "informal" and that Mrs. Byron received considerable encouragement. However, no commitments were made, he said.

After Rep. Byron's death, it was agreed by members of the central committee here that no candidate could be endorsed until in estate chairman called the members into session.

To Return Today

Mrs. Byron left for Hancock last night where she spent the night with friends. This morning she will return to Cumberland and will go to Garrett county. A conference has been arranged in Oakland today with Chairman Grover C. Stemple of the Garrett county committee.

Mrs. Byron's trip to Western Maryland followed announcement Tuesday by National Committee Chairman William Preston Lane of Hagerstown of his withdrawal from the impending Sixth Congressional District contest.

Self-Made Defect No Bar to Service

Draft Boards Will Induct Men Who Purposely Inflict Physical Defects

LT. Col. Amos Koonitz, state director of Selective Service, yesterday sent instructions by letter to all local draft boards on procedure to follow in cases where registrants self-inflict or purposely cause physical defects to escape military service.

This includes cases where registrants intentionally and purposely have teeth removed for the purpose of being disqualified for service.

Upon learning of any such cases the local draft board clerks are instructed to phone state headquarters at once and give a complete record of the case.

After a thorough check of the facts the secretary of war is notified of the case and is asked to advise the standard physical requirements of the army and the registrant involved is then inducted in the usual manner.

It was emphasized by local draft board officials that no such cases have occurred here.

Hospitals Here Report Three Births

A daughter was born yesterday afternoon at Memorial hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Clayton E. Brant, 26 Abash street, Ridgeley, W. Va.

Mr. and Mrs. Delbert E. Cnery, 4 Beall street, Frostburg, announce the birth of a son yesterday afternoon at Memorial hospital.

A son was born yesterday morning at Memorial hospital to Mr. and Mrs. Howard A. Grimm, 518 Montreat avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Donnelly, of Hancock, announce the birth of a son March 30 at St. Agnes hospital, Baltimore. Mrs. Donnelly was Miss Adele Cobill, daughter of S. Reinhardt Cobill, of Hancock.

Other Local News On Pages 6 and 7

State and City Police Are Asked To Locate Missing Celanese Chef

State and city police have been asked to locate Robert L. Jones, 31, of 13 North Chase street, chef at the Celanese plant, who has been missing from home since 1 a. m. Monday.

Jones is five feet, nine inches tall, weighs 162 pounds and has grey eyes and brown hair. When last seen he was wearing a brown suit, white shirt, green top coat and brown shoes.

Chest Drive May Go Over the Top By Tomorrow

Total Now Up to \$52,620; \$4,604 Raised by Workers Yesterday

With ninety-three per cent of the goal reached at yesterday's report luncheon, the 1941 Community Chest drive is expected to go over the top at the final luncheon for workers tomorrow. Yesterday \$4,604 was subscribed bringing the total to \$52,620.94.

Five of the classified divisions reached their goals when yesterday's reports were tabulated. The general division, of which Fred Z. Hetzel is chairman, brought in subscriptions totaling \$1,527. Each regiment in the division was over the quota assigned the groups. These regiments included social agencies, Ray C. Lator, chairman; printers and publishers, William L. Geppert, chairman; laundries and cleaners, Miss Jeannette Bonig, chairman; hospitals, Thomas P. Conlon, chairman; funeral directors, Charles George, chairman, and office supply, J. B. Reinhardt, chairman.

Teachers Give \$1,324

Charles L. Kopp reported 110 per cent of the educational division goal when subscriptions totaled \$1,324. This fund was subscribed by teachers and employees of the board of education.

All three of the local railroads exceeded the goals suggested for the three regiments and Roy W. Eves, chairman of the railroad division, reported 116 per cent of the quota reached. The railroads included the Baltimore and Ohio, J. Edwards, Jr., chairman; Western Maryland, Harry Smith, chairman, and Cumberland and Pennsylvania, William Claus, chairman.

The foods division has also reached the 100 per cent mark. C. A. Murray, chairman for the division, announced that although all regiments in the division were nearing their goals, only one, J. D. Waugh, chairman for the dairies, had reached the quota.

Five other regiments have also passed the regiment goals. Miles G. Thompson, classified section chairman, announced at yesterday's meeting that Henry Holzhub and Cyril Geare, co-chairman for general insurance; Brigadier Philipson, chairman for the clergy solicitation; James Orr, leader for the state employees; Mrs. C. A. Richards, chairman for the miscellaneous regiment of the public service division, and John Rodman, chairman for power and light utilities, have reached their quotas.

Classified Section Up. Jumping up to eighty-three per cent of its goal the classified section, soliciting from business firms, yesterday reported \$16,186 of its \$19,500 goal.

"It's nip and tuck from here on," Thompson told the classified section, but he was assured by the division and regiment leaders that (Continued on Page 7, Col. 4)

Paul Edmundson Will Have Hearing Today

Paul Joseph Edmundson, 33-year-old negro of Paw Paw, W. Va., will have a hearing today in trial magistrates court in connection with the death Monday night on Uhl highway of Dora Twigg, 35, a WPA worker of Oldtown.

Officers said Twigg was struck by Edmundson's car and fatally injured about 11:30 p. m. Edmundson was arrested the next day while driving to Cumberland.

A witness in the case, Herbert Gales, negro, of Paw Paw, told police he was riding with Edmundson.

SS. Peter and Paul Players Score With Presentation of Passion Play

Large Cast Gives Fine Performance in Traditional Lenten Story

The first of three performances of the "Passion Play" being presented by the SS. Peter and Paul Dramatic Players was given last night at the church hall under the direction of the Rev. Father Leander, O. M. Cap. assisted by Leo H. Lev, Sr.

Christ was the central figure of the play and other characters like the story are taken from Holy Scripture.

The first act has two scenes with the first being the conversion of Mary Magdalene and the other the road leading to Jerusalem.

Two is laid in the dining of the house of Nicodemus the Last Supper was held



—News Staff Photograph

CAST FOR RIDGELEY SCHOOL PLAY—Pupils of the Ridgeley graded school will present "The Cobbler of Fairyland" tonight and Friday night at 8 o'clock in the high school auditorium. From left to right, front row are Shirley Tichnell, Joseph Robbins, Phyllis Campbell, James Dale Flanagan, Richard Beeghly and Arwana Royce. Second row: Lois Campbell, Carol Derson, Madeline Morris, Janet Knierim, Carolyn Ann Kerns, Joyce Comer and Ouida Woods. Third row: Betty Lee Haines, James Stogdale, Ronald Hoelzer, Lowell Robertson, Peggy Morgan, Merle Cornelius, James Moon, William Arrington, and Mary Katherine Heiskell. Back row: Anna Grace Phillips, William Brehany and Jackie Morgan. Several specialties will be presented between the acts.

Homemakers Will Have Clothing Demonstration

Rally Will Be Held Today and Friday in the Court House Here

Members of Allegany county homemakers organizations, the junior extension 4-H clubs and clothing project demonstrators will rally at the office of Miss Maude A. Bean, home demonstration agent, today and tomorrow for a clothes making spree.

The women planning to make their new spring outfits will arrive at 9 o'clock this morning equipped with patterns, cotton dress material, pins, scissors, thread, needles, thimbles, tape lines and note books.

Miss Helen Shelby, clothing specialist from the University of Maryland, at College Park, will be present both days.

In the event any project demonstrators are unable to attend, they are asked to notify their presidents or else find some one who would be interested and willing to help assist club members with their dress construction.

A cotton dress style revue will be a feature of the May meetings, Miss Bean said. Women who attend today's sewing session have been asked to bring their lunch boxes.

Homemakers Will Make Plans for Rural Short Course

Plans for the nineteenth rural women's short course at the University of Maryland will be made at the Cumberland Free Public Library, Saturday at 1:30 o'clock. Miss Maude A. Bean, home demonstration agent, announced yesterday.

The course will be conducted this year from June 16 to 21.

All presidents of homemaker organizations are urged to attend the meeting as well as all women interested in the annual course.

The subject for the roll call discussion will be "Why I Would Like to Attend the 1941 Rural Women's Short Course."

Mrs. W. L. Maddocks, state president will preside at the business meeting.

Grace Baptist Pastor To Speak at Citadel

The Rev. W. Randolph Keefe, Jr., pastor of the Grace Baptist church will be the guest speaker at the special meeting at the Salvation Army Citadel Friday at 7:45 p. m. Special Friday night services are being held throughout the Lenten season.

and where Jesus delivered His testament.

The final three scenes are in the Garden of Gethsemane, before the palace of Pontius Pilate and Calvary and the Cross.

Particularly fitting is the play's presentation because of the Lenten season and the members of the cast acquitted themselves in fine fashion.

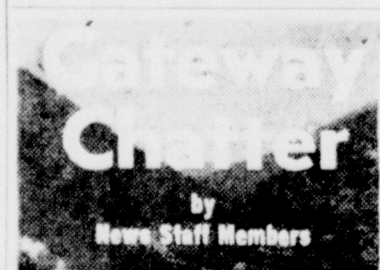
Play is Significant

Some people think any play based upon a religious theme would be tiresome and dull but last night's presentation was thrilling, not only because of the age-old words, but the story caused one to pause for thought on the significance of the play.

The part of Christ was ably performed by Thomas B. Cumskey, Jr. who enacted the role with warmth and feeling. Joseph Mc-

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Ridgeley Grade Pupils To Present "The Cobbler of Fairyland" Tonight



The army requires many more doctors in proportion to its numbers than does the civilian population, for the medical officer is more than just a doctor in uniform, according to Dr. Emmett L. Jones, secretary of the Allegany-Garrett County Medical Society.

In a public address Tuesday evening, Dr. Jones said that in addition to the care of the sick, the army doctor also must command medical corps troops, see that camp sanitation and hygiene are maintained, and act as advisor to his unit commander in all matters pertaining to health.

Thus an infantry regiment of about 2,000 men requires ten medical officers, whereas two or three doctors could adequately care for a civilian community of this size.

To supply these doctors, the local physician stated, the army has called into service many hundreds holding commissions in the Officers Reserve Corps. This has been possible only because the army was foresighted enough to have conducted during the past twenty years R. O. T. C. courses in many of the country's largest medical schools, with six weeks of intensive training during the summer at the Medical Field Service School at Carlisle Barracks, Pa.

In addition to the hospitals that have already been established by the medical corps in the various training camps, many of the country's famous teaching hospitals, such as Johns Hopkins hospital and University hospital in Baltimore, have organized reserve military hospital units, such as mobile surgical hospitals, general hospitals, and the like.

These reserve units, said Dr. Jones, are staffed by sons of the country's most outstanding physicians and surgeons, who stand ready to take the field in case our national status becomes one of war time emergency instead of peace time training.

Dr. Jones said that one needs only to glance briefly at past history to realize the enormous importance of the role that medicine plays when the nation's manpower is mobilized for military service. Only since the turn of the century, he declared, has the spread of disease been so brought under control that bullets have claimed more victims than bacteria, and as recently as the Spanish-American War in 1898, almost four times as many American soldiers died of disease as were killed in battle.

Even that life line of American national defense, the Panama canal, could not be built until the Army Medical Corps under Surgeon General Gorgas first stamped out yellow fever and malaria, which had so decimated the ranks of workers during previous attempts to construct a canal during the 1880's that the project was abandoned.

The terrible toll taken by influenza in 1918 still serves as a grim reminder of what the medical profession must be prepared to face and combat during the months ahead, if an epidemic should sweep our country, said Dr. Jones.

Speaking of the draft examinations, Dr. Jones stated that the army has gone to great lengths to make sure that no one with an incipient tuberculosis, mental disease or syphilis infection is taken into our new army. Failure to do this in 1917 and 1918 has filled hundreds of beds in veterans' hospitals ever since, has cost the government millions of dollars as well as great suffering and physical handicap to those men whose health was broken because they were not physically or mentally fit at the time they were drafted.

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Large Cast To Appear in Fantasy on High School Stage

Ridgeley graded school will present a play based upon a fantasy, "The Cobbler of Fairyland," in the high school auditorium tonight and Friday night at 8 o'clock with twenty-five pupils in the main speaking parts and seven chorus groups rounding out the cast.

The time of the play is set in the summer with the opening scene laid in the royal palace in the Land of Make Believe. Enactment of the entire play takes place in the palace garden which adjoins an enchanted forest in the Land of Make Believe.

One highlight of the play is the scene wherein the princess' birthday is held in the garden. The characters wear colorful costumes with fairies, queen and king, witches and many other story-book personages included.

Two specialties included. Two specialties will be given between the acts, "Here Comes the Captain," and "Old MacDonald's Farm."

Louis Everstine is announcer and James Stogdale chief of the painter elves assisted by James Moon, Peggy Moran takes the part of the Queen of Monarchia, a royal tyrant while King Martin, a meek monarch, is portrayed by Lowell Robertson.

William Arrington plays Percival, the court page; Lois Campbell, mistress of the robes; Rosaline, first lady in waiting, is Mary K. Heiskell; Shirley Tichnell and Arwana Royce are the head cook and assistant of the royal palace; Betty L. Haines is the second lady in waiting, Christopher.

The fairy cobbler, shoemaker for the royal court, is played by Joseph Robbins, and Phyllis Campbell enacts the role of Princess Delmarie, daughter of the royal pair.

The villains of the cast are Machiavelli, the cat, impersonated by Jimmy Flanagan; Vengefullette, the uninvited bad fairy, Jacqueline Morgan; the witch who gets her spells mixed is played by Ouida (Continued on Page 7, Col. 4)

American Hebrew Union Plans for Biennial Council

Mrs. Lee Lichtenstein and Isaac Hirsch are Members of Committee

Mrs. Lee Lichtenstein and Isaac Hirsch, of Cumberland, are members of the National Advisory Committee of the Union of American Hebrew Congregations, which is planning the thirty-seventh biennial council April 26 to May 1 in Detroit.

"The World Upheaval Challenges the Synagogue" will be the theme and in addition to addresses by prominent Jews the convention program includes round table discussions. These will deal with practical approaches to such specific problems as "The Synagogue and Adult Jewish Education" and "The Synagogue and the Refugee."

Rabbi Julius Gordon of St. Louis, a leading member of the liberal American rabbinate, will speak Tuesday evening, April 29, at a special convention supper session of the national advisory committee at the Hotel Statler. At this meeting, the committee will consider a program of reconstruction suitable for the immediate future work of the union.

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Philip Showacre Dies following Long Illness

Native of Oldtown Succumbs at His Home on Springdale Street

Philip Gottlieb Showacre, 81, died yesterday morning at his home, 400 Springdale street, after an illness of eighteen years.

Born at Oldtown, he was a son of the late Philip G. and Jane Stump Showacre.

Mr. Showacre was a member of Tonkaway Tribe No. 120, Improved Order of Redmen; Potomac Lodge No. 131, A. F. and A. M.; Queen City Council No. 49, Jr. O. U. A. M.; Cumberland Lodge No. 60, Knights of Pythias, and Chosen Friends Lodge No. 34, I. O. O. F., which will be in charge of the funeral.

Surviving are a brother, Charles Showacre, of Meeker, Okla., two nieces and four nephews. He resided with his sister, Miss Mary Amelia Showacre, until her death February 22.

The body is at the Kight funeral home.

William Adams Dies

William Adams, 78, a retired carpenter, died yesterday at his home in Hyndman, Pa.

Born in Pleasant Ridge, Va., he was the son of the late Samuel and Mary (Keller) Adams. In 1890, he married Miss Ida Suder who survives him. He was a member of the Reformed Church.

Surviving him other than his wife is one son, Leslie S. Adams, Duquesne, Pa.; three daughters, Miss Mary Adams, Hyndman; Mrs. Edna Heller, Cumberland; and Mrs. Mabel Underwood, Akron, O.; two brothers, Albert, Pittsburgh; and Harvey, Buffalo Mills; and a sister, Mrs. Grace Coughenour, Connelville, Pa.

Connor Services Held

A requiem Mass for Mrs. Josephine E. Connor, 72, widow of Thomas Connor, 222 Pulton street, who died Sunday, was conducted yesterday morning at St. Peter and Paul Catholic church by the Rev. Father Luke, O. F. M. Cap. Interment was made in Hillcrest Burial Park.

Pallbearers were Alfred L. Sidaway, William Twigg, Harry Sidaway, Robert Flynn, Clyde H. Marsh and Clyde Blann.

Mrs. N. E. Boyd Dies

Mrs. Dora C. Boyd, 66, wife of N. E. Boyd, died Monday night at her home on RFD 6, Morgantown, W. Va.

A brother, Robert Graham, of (Continued on Page 7, Col. 4)

4,000 Persons Hear Demonstrations Of Artificial Speech Machine

Dr. J. Owen Perrine Lectures on Apparatus Known as the Voder

Nearly 4,000 Cumberlanders mostly high school students, today have a clearer understanding of the Voder, latest scientific development by which human speech is artificially created through electrical vibration.

They obtained this insight at a series of three demonstrations of the apparatus given yesterday afternoon and last evening at Fort Hill high school auditorium by Dr. J. Owen Perrine, assistant vice president of the American Telephone and Telegraph Company and consultant of the Bell Telephone Laboratories.

In the afternoon, 1,700 Fort Hill

Three Replacement Draftees of Board No. 1 Rejected at Baltimore

Three of the eleven replacement draftees sent to the induction station by Local Board No. 1 on Monday were rejected, according to Delisle Chaney, board clerk.

They are John S. Chaney and Francis P. Wempe and another man not verified by the board.

James McQue Bridges, 519 Virginia avenue, a volunteer; George McClellan Twigg, 20 Wineow street, order number 382; and Francis Okley Wisenberger, 36 Boone street, order number 385, will replace the three rejected men leaving here Friday, April 11.

National Defense Training Courses Will Be Continued

Registration for Preparatory Classes Will Be Held Today

General registration for trade preparatory courses essential to national defense will be held today following approval of a plan for a continuation of the program, it was announced yesterday.

Registrations will be held today from 6 to 9 p. m., at Fort Hill high school; Frostburg high school and Bruce high school, Westernport. All persons admitted into training must be registered with the Maryland State Employment Service and present a registration card to the admission officer at the school.

Classes will start Monday and continue for a term of ten weeks.

Facilities Available

The Allegany Board of Education has extended the use of shop facilities in the high schools, Charles L. Kopp, superintendent, announced. The new program will provide trade preparatory courses for the development of skills and machine operations in specific occupations.

Classes will be scheduled for twenty-five hours per week, meeting during the evenings and Saturdays.

While it is not compulsory that the trainees accept employment at industrial centers outside of Allegany county, the program is interested in enrolling persons who will be willing to accept employment in the defense industries of the state.

Age Limit 17 to 26

At the present time, Allegany county concerns have no defense projects and for this reason no training can be continued for its industries.

The age limit for trainees is seventeen to twenty-six and an appeal is being made to young people who have part-time employment or no employment at all to enroll for the courses.

Due to the expansion and decentralization of the defense industries, the nation, as reported by the United States Department of Labor, will have to train and hire 25,000 new workers per month from October, 1940, to September, 1941. Of this number, Maryland will need 50,000 new workers during the next six months.

Schedule Announced

Classes in Allegany county for the next ten weeks have been scheduled as follows:

Fort Hill high school—6:30 to 11 o'clock—machine shop, cabinet work and wood patterns, are and acetylene welding, technical drawing and specifications.

Allegany high school—4 to 11:30 o'clock—aircraft sheet-metal forming, aircraft riveting, aircraft blueprint reading and layout.

Frostburg high school—6:30 to 11 o'clock—aircraft form and wood patterns, are and acetylene welding, bench and machine shop, blue print reading and estimating.

Bruce high school—6:30 to 11 o'clock—woodwork, electrical construction and maintenance, blueprint reading and estimating.

Townsend Editor To Speak At Meeting in Ridgeley

Otis J. Bouma, Washington, D. C., editor of the Flash Bulletin, will be the chief speaker at the Townsend Rally at Ridgeley high school, April 20, at 2:30 o'clock. All Townsend club members in this region are invited to attend.

Students Attended One Demonstration of Artificial Speech Machine

Students attended one demonstration and 1,500 from Allegany high school attended another; while last evening some 600 were present at the third. Attendance at the evening demonstration would perhaps have been larger had not several other evening events interfered.

Fort Hill Band Plays

The demonstrations were given under the auspices of the Cumberland Chamber of Commerce and through the courtesy of James L. Barrow, local district manager of the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company of Baltimore City, and officials of the parent company. Harold W. Smith, commerce chamber secretary, introduced Dr. Perrine and his assistants.

The Fort Hill high school band, resplendent in full uniforms, played a program of marches at the demonstrations under the direction of (Continued on Page 7, Col. 3)

Improper Order Is Blamed for Train Accident

Report Is Made by I. C. I on B. and O. Train Crash Here

Failure to properly issue a yard order was given as the reason for the collision of locomotives January 1 in the B. & O. Railroad yards here which claimed three lives, the Interstate Commerce Commission announced yesterday.

According to the commission, accident was caused by the failure to properly issue a yard order to protect the movement of an extra train against the normal flow of traffic.

Report Made

Commissioner W. J. Patterson said that "if operating officials had enforced in the past the rules pertaining to the movements involved it is probable that this accident would have been averted."

John Edwards Jr., superintendent of the Cumberland division, state last night that local B. & O. officials here have not received a final report regarding the investigation. As far as could be determined locally, there were no new developments in the case.

The accident occurred when a doubleheader passenger engine struck a backing freight engine on Track No. 2 about 200 feet east of the Wineow street subway at 4:10 o'clock January 1.

Three Fatally Injured

Three fatally injured were Edward R. McLaughlin, 54 Bedford Pa., fireman on the freight engine; James S. Privately, 33, Pittsburgh fireman on the passenger engine; and James Frederick Mencer, 52, 28 West Roberts street, engineer of the freight engine.

Thomas Holleran, 53, Braddock Pa., engineer of the lead passenger train engine, lost his left leg as result of the wreck but recovered and finally left Memorial hospital where he was a patient for some time.

C. AND P. TELEPHONE COMPANY ANNOUNCES THREE PROMOTIONS

Three promotions in the Chesapeake and Potomac Telephone Company were announced yesterday.

Lloyd M. Griffin, vice president and general manager of the Baltimore branch, has been named vice president of the four C. & P. companies serving Maryland, Virginia, West Virginia and the District of Columbia.

August B. Hancke, a native of Baltimore, will succeed Griffin with the Maryland company. Prior to the promotion he was vice president and general manager of the West Virginia company.

H. Randolph Maddox, of Princes Anne, will go to Charleston, a Hancke's successor. He has been assistant general manager in Baltimore.

Orthopedic Clinic Will Be Held Here On April 25 and 26

Drs. George Bennett and George Eaton, of Baltimore, will conduct an orthopedic clinic in the basement of city hall April 25 and 26 under the sponsorship of the Allegany County League of Crippled Children, it was announced yesterday by Miss Vivian Lambert, executive secretary.